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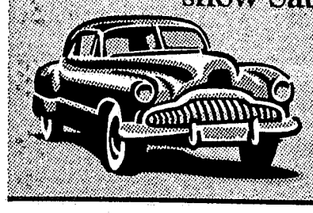

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WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE
"Hamlet," Act V, Scene I

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Bethel, Adelphia take it to court

By MICHAEL DANIELS

The town of Bethel has asked a federal judge in Portland to dismiss a lawsuit filed against the town by Adelphia Communications.

Adelphia provides cable television service throughout this area and is the largest such provider in Maine. The company is charging that the town failed to respond — within the federally mandated deadline — to a proposal for a new contract with the town.

Town officials don't deny the charge.

"I don't know why we didn't; we just didn't," said Dutch Dresser, chairman of the Board of Selectmen.

The town's previous cablevision contract, a 15-year agreement signed in July 1984, expired on Dec. 31, 2000. That agreement had been between the town and Bethel Cablevision Co., which was later purchased by FrontierVision, and ultimately merged with Adelphia

In August 1999 the town signed a transfer agreement that essentially acknowledged Adelphia as having assumed the rights and obligations of the 1984 agreement.

In late 2000, with the cable agreement poised to lapse, the town

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ASC gets new $30 million cash infusion

ASSOCIATED PRESS

The American Skiing Company's biggest investor has agreed to pump an additional $30 million into the debt-ridden resort operator as part of a financial restructuring package announced Monday.

The agreement was negotiated with Oak Hill Capital Partners, a Texas-based investment group that appoints a majority of ASC's board of directors and, on a fully diluted basis, holds a majority of the company's common stock.

"This represents a key milestone in the future of American Skiing Company," said B.J. Fair, chief executive officer. "With this package in place, we will address many of the significant financial and liquidity issues facing the company."

The announcement came three days after American Skiing said it reached agreement with lenders on revising the terms of a $165 million financing package.

Fair said the debt restructuring, coupled with the planned sale of the company's Steamboat resort in

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Tonsure topped by tuft of turf

Tilly Woods of Bethel found this sculpture of a skull, done by Larry Fox, in her garden.
(Photo by Alison Aloisio)

Gruesome garden sculpture unearthed

By ALISON ALOISIO

A couple of weeks ago, Tilly Woods went out into her garden to clear some overgrown grass and weeds. As she poked around, she came across what looked at first to be a medium-sized, round-looking rock.

She took a closer look, and came to a horrifying realization. "I said, 'Oh, my gosh, it's a human skull,'" said Woods.

Not knowing what to do, she first ran next door to Dr. Kevin Finley's house. He wasn't home.

"What do you do?" said Woods. "I called the cops." Woods told dispatch, "It looks as though it has a brain in it." It appeared to the touch, she said, that there was soft material inside.

Police Chief Darren Tripp responded to the call. On examining the skull, he realized it was not the real thing, but a good imitation.

No murder mystery, but still a mystery. The incident was noted in the Bethel Police Log in the Bethel Citizen.

A few days later, Larry Fox of Mason was lying in bed reading the paper. His wife, Lisa, was beside him.

The Foxes had lived in the house where Woods now lives up until a year ago. In 1977, as part of an assignment in a 3D sculpture class at the University of Maine at Augusta, Larry had created a replica of a human skull and rib cage from fiberglass and plywood.

He read the account of the skull in the Citizen. "I said, 'Lisa, where's our skull?'" Larry said.

He thought back and remembered that he had used the skull as part of a scarecrow in the garden. "I thought I had left with it," he said, when he moved.

Apparently not. He called Finley, who had since learned about the skull. Fox said it probably belonged to him. Later, Finley talked to Woods. 'That's Larry's old skull," he told her.

Last Thursday, Fox returned to Paradise to reclaim his lost skull. He told Woods that before he used it on the scarecrow, he put it on display at Halloween. On Thursday, it was displayed sitting on a large rock next to the garden, placed there by Finley.

What will Fox do with it now? "Probably put it at the entrance to my private road," he said.

Fox said he couldn't recall what he got for a grade on the skull project 24 years ago.

"I'd give him an A," said Woods.

SAD44 once again eyeing EBS offices

Plan calls for spending $400 K on addition and renovations to accommodate Supt.'s office, adult and special education

By ALISON ALOISIO

After other options for relocating the district central office failed to pan out, the SAD44 School Board Monday has returned to a scenario in which the former Ethel Bisbee School would be converted to district offices.

The plan is part of a $1.7 million facilities improvement project that will likely go before district voters as a bond issue this fall. The five-part project would include: an addition and renovation of EBS, at an estimated cost of $400,000; improvements to the Telstar complex ($325,000); a new transportation facility at Telstar ($335,000); improvements to the Helen Berry Auditorium at Telstar ($285,000); and a new track at Telstar ($380,000).

If approved, the bond would likely be for a 15-year period, according to Supt. Kent Rosberg. The district has the equivalent of the first year's payment in this year's school budget, in the form of capital improvements to the facilities involved. SAD44 will also apply for a grant from the Betterment Fund to pay $265,000 of the costs.

The EBS proposal represents a change of heart by district officials. Last year, following a SAD44 facilities study that considered the feasibility of converting the school into offices, Rosberg told directors, "putting more money into it is not worth it. It's in the long-term interest of the district to get out of the facility."

But in researching other options, including buying or leasing new property, or tearing down EBS and building an entirely new structure, the district concluded the renovation wasn't such a bad idea after all.

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Details of ski-season bus service unveiled

By ALISON ALOISIO

A free public bus, dubbed the Mountain Explorer, is very close to becoming a reality in Bethel this winter.

The transit subcommittee of the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce has come up with enough funding — without a penny from the town — to put three buses on the road. The service is expected to begin Nov. 22.

The committee held an open house Tuesday at the Sudbury Inn. On display was a bus from Western Maine Transportation, which will provide the service for this winter. Beginning next year, the buses will be provided by the Maine Department of Transportation, under the Explore Maine System.

An attempt last year to provide bus service through a combination of business, grant and local public funds failed when Bethel voted against providing any.

A proposed schedule of stops and times was presented Tuesday by Jim Largess, chairman of the committee. The service will begin with weekends only, then increase to seven days a week as demand grows during the winter season.

Stops will run from the Bethel Inn, down Main Street, then out toward Mayville and Sunday River.

Morning stops will be on the half hour between 7 and 10 a.m. Afternoon and evening stops will be on the hour, between 10 a.m. and 1

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Grab the suicide knob

Vintage wheels steering for Telstar

By ALISON ALOISIO

The Telstar athletic fields will be the site of the first annual Telstar High School Car Show Saturday. If the weather cooperates, organizer Linda Howe hopes classic car enthusiasts from all over will come and enjoy Bethel — then go home and talk up next year's show.

The first annual Telstar High

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Letters

RIVER'S LONG BEEN CHANGING

To the Editor;

We are responding to the article printed in the Lewiston Sun on July 10, 2001. It reads: "River changes perplex experts." What's happening to Sunday River? We are speaking of the river, not the ski area. (We already know what's happening there.) Since 1983, we have been quarreling with the "so-called" town fathers of Newry and, at that time, Richard Ferland of the Conservation Service, to let us correct the river problem. An inspection was made, and it was determined that, yes, we did indeed have a problem. Nothing could or would be done without the approval of the Department of Fish and Game. At that time we were allowed to remove only a very small amount of gravel to allow the river to flow more smoothly. Of course, the cost would be the responsibility of the landowners. That was fine with us, as Harrington would use his equipment and there would be little, if any, cost. The river soon chose a new channel. It now flows way beyond its natural route. Gravel in the original bed now varies from five to eight feet.

The mountain snowmaking has indeed caused many changes in the river flow. The pump house is located nearby, along with the water intake pipe. Supposedly a screen on the pipe prevents fish from being sucked up the pipe to the mountain. Who knows? One does not need to be a rocket scientist to know that what goes up eventually will come down. The water that is put onto the mountain all winter months will fill the river in a speedy fashion.

New Hampshire sure seems to know how to control the problem they had at Gorham with the Peabody River. Why don't some of our environmentalists speak with the people responsible for fixing their river?

We no longer have free access to the equipment to clean up the river and place the gravel on the riverbank where it came from. The whole river from the pump house to the Androscoggin needs fixing, not just in isolated spots.

It seems that in the past whatever the Sunday River Skiway wanted in relation to environmental issues was quickly approved in their favor.

We have not had any adjustment on our real estate taxes due to loss of land and plantation pine along the quarter mile of river frontage.

Julie and Edward R. Daye,
Newry

IT WILL BE A GREAT DAY

To the Editor:

It seems that over the years of Mollyockett Days (in which I've only missed a few), I like being part of my little town's events that mean something special to me. It's a day that I get caught up on everybody's life that I haven't seen for a year or years.

Now our team likes doing this. We wait to hear what the theme is, then we go to work building a float that keeps with the theme. That's what our team likes to do and we expect the same from all participants in the parade.

Every year the parade gets bigger and better, and, in my feeling, that's what starts Mollyockett Day. I got started doing this back in the '60s when my parents' 4-H Club built winning floats; in the '70s, it was with Don Young at the Western Auto Store; in the '80s, I enjoyed driving my old car in the parade. Our team did take over in the '90s, taking most of the first-place trophies.

Now you take notice of our team's effort of hard work and creativity of building a float made of duct tape, wood, paper, paint, props, and characters, and most of all "fun." So again this year the team is ready. We want to see more floats this year. It's going to be a great day, so take my seat, come sit by me.

Joe Bailey
Bethel

HOUSE TOURS THANKS

To the Editor:

Bethel Historical Society's Capital Campaign organized Saturday's Sunday River Valley House Tours and Luncheon and wishes to thank the following homeowners who so generously opened their homes, sharing inviting interiors and manicured exteriors: Rudy and Joanne Royer, Michael and Christine Liberti, Faith and Phil Buehl, Peg and Steve Wight, the Sweeneys via Ed and Mary Jo Kennett. Each home has distinctive features that purely delighted the numerous visitors.

A double thanks to Steve and Peg Wight for use of the Sunday River Inn and Cross Country Center for registration, gift table and luncheon — the most pleasant atmosphere in which to dine and/or prepare a meal.

Janet Black's Designs moved to a new location on Thursday and that evening she offered a floral workshop. Saturday, she set up the covered bridge and provided an arrangement and corsages for the three dozen volunteers. Pooh Corner Farm also donated a very special arrangement for the event. The talents and generous spirit of these businesses added greatly to the enjoyment of the day for the tour participants and volunteers alike.

A huge thank you to one and all for a successful event that added to the coffers toward improving and expanding the Regional History Center's Robinson House.

Susan Herlihy
BHS Capital Campaign

ANDOVER SCHOLARSHIP MONEY

To the Editor:

All freshmen entering college this fall that wish to use their Andover scholarship money must submit a copy of their college acceptance letter and include their student identification number. They may also instruct us to hold their funding for another year. The deadline for this scholarship is Aug. 1.

For those applying for the Cutting Endowment Award Scholarships from the Andover Educational Fund, that deadline is July 25. Students who do not have their application forms may pick them up at Sharon Hutchins' home.

Sharon Hutchins
Andover

WOODSTOCK FUN DAY PLANNED

To the Editor:

I am an active member of the Woodstock School and president of the WPTA. I am looking for anyone in Woodstock and surrounding towns to help me pull together and form a committee. The committee is to put together a Woodstock Fun Day. This fun day has many opportunities for fun and fundraising for local groups along with business for local merchants. I'd like to follow along the lines of the celebration a few years back.

There are many ideas for games, parades, auto show and so on. To pull this off, we need help. If anyone would like to serve on the committee, sponsor or help in any way, please contact me as soon as possible. I can be reached at 665-2211. I would like to have the first meeting by the end of this month and kick off the annual fun day in the summer of 2002. Please call me.

Michele Wakefield
Woodstock

EBS

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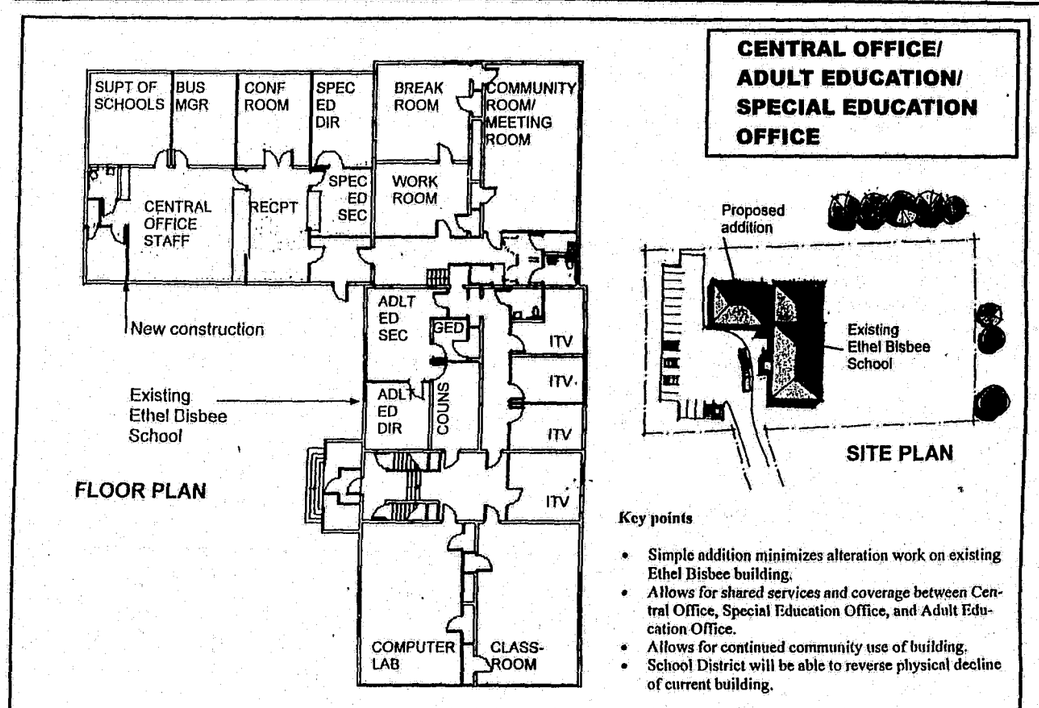

THE PROPOSED PLAN for a renovated and expanded Ethel Bisbee School.

"It seems to be the best place for us to go," said Rosberg Monday. In addition to the superintendent's office, the building would also house adult education and special education offices. All are currently located at Telstar.

It was estimated last year it would cost $330,000 to upgrade and convert EBS, built in the 1920s. That estimate did not include housing the full adult education and special education offices, he said.

Buying or leasing a new site proved to be too expensive, he said. As for tearing down EBS and starting anew, Rosberg said more detailed examination of the options led to the conclusion that renovation was the best choice.

New classrooms for TMS

The move would in turn free up space at the Telstar complex that would be converted to two new middle school classrooms. Current portable classrooms would be eliminated. The middle school and high school main offices would be combined in the reorganization, as would the two guidance offices.

The district is sticking to its original study assessment that the transportation garage, located in a floodplain, is not worth renovating. Instead, the plan is to build a new garage to the right of the high school, as seen from Route 26.

If the project goes ahead, the current garage might be leveled and grassed over, and/or the property might be sold, Rosberg said.

The bulk of the cost in improving the auditorium would come from replacing its 450 seats, many of which are broken. At $220 each, the total would be $100,000. Other improvements would be made to the sound system and acoustics.

Also proposed is a new track. A boosters club that has been fundraising for many years paid for a recent engineering study. But as for paying for the track itself, said board chair, Kelly Scotti, "It's not going to happen on pancake breakfasts and raffles."

Betterment Fund application

The district will be looking for financial support from the Bingham Betterment Fund to help pay for the track and the auditorium work. An application to the New York-based fund asks for 40 percent of the total cost of the projects.

In making the district's case for the track, Rosberg wrote, "Since the school has been built, students have practiced in parking lots and on adjacent roadways. Students have remained stoic about not having a track, for historically about 15 percent of the student body has been on the track team." He also said the community would benefit from having use of a track.

If the grant request is rejected, the board would then decide whether to include the full cost of the projects in the bond issue, or drop the request.

Board cool to moving sixth-graders

By ALISON ALOISIO

An old issue reared its head briefly Monday night when someone asked if the space problems at TMS could be solved simply by sending sixth-graders back to the elementary schools.

Board Chair Kelly Scotti of Andover said the question was raised at a recent meeting of the Facilities Committee, and she felt obliged to pass it along to the full board.

About five years ago, after several budget seasons of wrangling over where sixth-graders should go to school, directors voted to support the "middle school concept." Since then, almost all sixth-graders have gone to the middle school.

The issue was most hotly debated then in Andover, where many parents were skeptical of sending their 12-year-olds off to a much larger school.

Andover Director Sid Pew said he was against "going back and chewing up old ground again instead of moving forward."

Supt. Kent Rosberg said returning the students to the elementary schools would likely eliminate the option of instituting a pre-school program in the future. He also said students at Woodstock would have to be in a portable.

Scotti said many families had been affected in the change to the middle school.

"I think I'd be angry," she said, to hear of a proposal to change back. "It was not an easy decision to back the middle school." If the board considered sending students back to elementary schools, Scotti said, "You'd be taking some flak and I'd be sitting over (in the audience) there giving it to you."

No one on the board indicated any interest in revisiting the question.

In our backyard

Projects Can Poison

It's summertime — a good time to tackle home improvements. But because Maine has many older homes, home improvements can expose children to lead poisoning. In fact, repainting or remodeling is responsible for up to 60 percent of the highly lead-poisoned children in Maine.

Any home built before 1978 may have lead paint in it. (Old paint in homes built before 1950 may be 50 percent lead.) As this paint ages, it creates lead dust that may not be visible but is still an environmental health hazard. Repainting or renovation that disturbs lead-based paint can cause you and your family members to breathe or ingest lead dust when it gets on your hands, food or cigarettes.

It takes very little lead to poison a young child. Children under the age of six are most susceptible because their normal hand-to-mouth behavior causes them to ingest more lead. Small children also absorb and retain more lead in their bodies than adults. A child can be lead poisoned and not show any immediate symptoms, but can suffer severe and permanent damage including decreased growth, hyperactivity, impaired hearing, behavioral problems and learning disabilities.

Does this mean you shouldn't repaint or do renovations if you live in a home built before 1978?

No, because even if you do nothing, lead paint will eventually create hazards in your home. It is better to find out if there is lead paint in your home and then take steps to prevent it from possibly poisoning your children or pets.

One precaution to take is to hire a lead inspector or lead risk assessor. These professionals use a high-tech piece of equipment that will determine how much lead is in the paint in your home. They give you a report that tells you where the lead paint is and whether it is causing an environmental hazard. You can use this report to decide what work you want to do first and when you need to use lead-safe work practices to prevent exposing yourself or your family to lead.

Alternatively, if you are planning to do only a small project, you can buy a "Lead Check" kit at a hardware store to check one or two surfaces for lead paint.

There are several easy steps you can take to avoid creating lead hazards. Call the DEP Lead Hazard Prevention Program at (207) 287-2651 to get information that will help you with your special project. You can also find step-by-step instructions on lead-safe work practices on the Internet at http://www.hud.gov/lea/LBPguide.pdf. For more general lead poisoning prevention information, check the DEP Website at http://janus.state.me.us/dep/rwm/lead.htm

So if you live in an older home, don't put your home improvement project on hold. Instead, find out if your project will disturb lead-based paint, and then make sure you use lead-safe work practices.

Simple precautions can prevent lead poisoning and the lifelong trouble and heartache that can follow.

"In our backyard" is a weekly column of the Maine Department of Environmental Protection. E-mail your environmental questions to infodep@state.me.us or send them to "In our backyard," Maine DEP, 17 State House Station, Augusta, ME 04333.

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Our Back Pages

Compiled by JOHN K. BROWN

10 years ago: A rash of burglaries in Woodstock and Greenwood left local residents and law enforcement officials speculating that overall local crime was on the rise.

Bethel selectmen overruled a recommendation by the town's conservation commission and refused to recommend Bethel accept a conservation easement to 27 acres in the Forest Homes subdivision, owned by Jim and Pat Hudson.

Gypsy moth caterpillars were munching their way through trees on Route 2 in Gilead.

The Community Lakes Association of Woodstock and Greenwodod voted to add Round Pond to the local lakes it monitors each summer.

Births: Isaac James Burnham, Thomas Dellison Conroy.

Deaths: Gertrude Barker, Reta Meserve.

20 years ago: The Summer Synchronized Swimming Class at the Bethel Inn was planning a water ballet performance for the inn pool.

Selectmen agreed to work with the State Department of Transportation to upgrade the intersection of Route 2 and Old Route 2 in West Bethel in conjunction with the state's paving of the route from Lovers Lane to the Gilead line.

In conjunction with the Indian Raid Bicentennial celebration, the West Parish Congregational Church planned to hold had old-fashioned worship service with Rev. Charles Pendleton, former pastor of the church.

Births: Lawrence Joseph Ward, Rebecca Lyn Gorman, Dyano Leanora Dunham-Conway.

Deaths: Edward Stanley, O.B. George Jr.

30 years ago: The SAD44 School Board approved the hiring of Elizabeth Couser and Richard Collins to teach at Telstar.

The movie "Love Story" was scheduled to begin playing at the Grand View Drive-In Theatre in Gorham, N.H.

Dana Melville of Locke Mills participated in the Physics/Astronomy section of the Secondary Science Training Program sponsored by the University of Iowa.

Deaths: Roderick McMillin.

40 years ago: Expenditures for town welfare cases covering the first six months of the year totaled $2,669.84, $1,019.75 more than for the same period in 1970.

Fourteen Bethel Boy Scouts returned from a week at Camp Bomazeen, near North Belgrade. Jack Brooks, George Nickerson, Richard Paine and Paul Vachon passed First Class Board of Review to advance to star rank.

Births: Dana Reginald Meisner, Kirk Patrick O'Brien, Maureen Lynn Coyne.

Deaths: Eugene Penley, William Sweatt.

50 years ago: The lumber and milling business of L.E. Davis has been incorporated as the L.E. Davis Lumber Company, with capitalization of $100,000.

Bryant Pond's Stan Farrar was the winning pitcher in a 7-0 win over Bethel A.C. Bud Kneeland and Dick Rolfe had hits for Bethel.

Newry Town Fire Warden L.E. Wight, Roy C. Tripp, Warren M. Powers and George F. Learned attended the Fire Wardens' meeting at Weld.

Donald Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bennett was ill with the measles.

In Hanover, bushes were being cut out on curves around Howard Lake to make driving safer.

60 years ago: The body of Robert Hill, formerly of Albany, was found in the Androscoggin River near the mouth of the Alder River.

Leading Air Craftsman W. Ashby Tibbetts, 27, of Bethel was killed while on duty at Dunnville Field, Ont. A full military funeral was held at Riverside Cemetery. All places of business were closed as the funeral cortege passed through the streets of the village. The procession was headed by Old Glory and the Union Jack, which was brought from Canada with the body.

Deaths: Anna White, Robert Hill, W. Ashby Tibbetts.

100 years ago: Smith-Gorton Royal entertainers were at Odeon Hall to benefit the Volunteer Hose Company.

The extremely hot weather was causing problems getting in hay.

CORRECTION

On high honors: The honor roll for Crescent Park Elementary School that appeared in the July 12 Citizen should have included Teague Merrill on high honors for fourth grade.

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Briefly

SAD44 OKs well, meets with BWD

BETHEL—The SAD44 Board of Directors Monday authorized Supt. Kent Rosberg, with permission of board officers, to replace or repair the well at the Telstar complex. The school experienced water-shortage problems this spring because of a low flow rate in the well. Goodwin Well & Water Inc. of Turner has evaluated the water situation and provided several options. Rosberg is authorized to spend up to $30,000. On Tuesday, district officials met with the Bethel Water District board to discuss possible longterm plans to run the water system to Telstar, a distance of a little more than a mile. Rosberg said no formal vote was taken on the issue, but BWD has the water capacity to supply the school. He said he will investigate possible grant sources that might help pay for the work, which has a ballpark estimate of $300,000.

Votes change on School Board

BETHEL—Weighted votes on the SAD44 Board of Directors will be reapportioned to reflect the 2000 census, following a board vote Monday. Prior to Monday's vote, a director had the following number of votes, by town: Andover, 58; Bethel, 71; Greenwood, 42; Newry, 29; and Woodstock, 72. The new apportionment will be: Andover, 50; Bethel, 70; Greenwood, 47; Newry, 30; and Woodstock, 76.

Tennis lessons offered

BETHEL—The Bethel Recreation Board will offer tennis instruction at the Gould Academy courts from July 30 to Aug. 3. Participants are asked to register at the Town Office by July 30. There is a sign-up fee of $10. The schedule will be: ages 7-9, 1 to 2:30 p.m; ages 10-12, 2:30 to 4 p.m. The instructor will be Gareth Kucinkas of the Gould faculty.

Umbagog festival scheduled

ERROL, N.H.—The fourth annual Umbagog Wildlife Festival is scheduled for Aug. 4. The event offers live fish and wildlife presentations, guided pontoon boat, canoe, and birdwalk tours, a build-your-own-birdhouse workshop, all day arts and crafts, amateur photo contest, a Lets Go Fishing program, a barbeque and other activities. The festival, organized by the Lake Umbagog National Wildlife Refuge, Umbagog Area Chamber of Commerce and Friends of Umbagog will feature a nocturnal mammal presentation in the downtown area. For more information call 482-3415.

Judgment levied against logger

AUGUSTA—The Kennebec County Superior Court last week found Gerald Nelson Jr. of Freedom guilty of violating the Unfair Trade Practices Act and the consumer Solicitation Sales Act. The Attorney General filed suit against Nelson, alleging he cut wood on the property of 11 woodlot owners and either paid them far below market value or never paid them at all. He will pay a civil penalty of $110,000, based on 11 intentional violations at $10,000 per violation. The court also ordered Nelson pay $146,360 in restitution to the woodlot owners. Nelson was found to have deceived the owners based on two facts: he misrepresented the nature and the extent of the harvest he conducted, and deceived them regarding the price he would pay for the wood, promising fair value but compensating them well below that mark.

Growth council adopts brand name

PARIS—"EnterpriseMaine.com, Building tomorrow's economy today" has been adopted by the Growth Council of Oxford Hills as a new brand name to market the region. The Growth Council, and its affiliated corporations Western Maine Finance, Western Maine Development and Maine Discoveries, will use the new brand to help attract new business investment and talent to Oxford Hills. "We are an aggressive professional economic development organization that strives to stay ahead of the curve and look to the future of the region," said Barb Olson, Growth Council vice president. "The announcement of our new brand reinforces that we are future oriented, entrepreneurial, Web savvy and all about Maine." New marketing materials released describe EnterpriseMaine.com as "a family of community-based non-profit organizations and for-profit subsidiaries dedicated to creating economic opportunity and enhancing the quality of life in rural western Maine." The tag line "Building tomorrow's economy today" reinforces the region's forward-looking community economic development initiatives. "As our economy becomes more and more dependent on international ties, we need a brand name for the region that catches the attention of entrepreneurs, corporate leaders and public officials," said Brett Doney, Growth Council President and CEO. The brand will also be used to attract new talent to the region to support the growth of existing businesses. "We need to compete in the international war for talent," said Marge Medd, Growth Council Chair. "The two ways to do that are to increase homegrown talent, which we are doing with the new Western Maine University and Technical College Center project, and to attract new talent to the region.

Paper company owes tax money

GORHAM, N.H.—Pulp and Paper Affiliate of New Hampshire owes taxes to Berlin, Dalton, Gorham and Shelburne. According to the Berlin city treasurer, PPA owes $1.2 million on 2000 taxes, $200,000 in back sewer bill payments, and has missed a payment of $1,4454,000 on the first half its 2001 tax bill. Gorham is owed $400,000 in a semi-annual taxes, and Dalton $63,000. Company officials were not commenting on the financial situation as of last week. PPA is an affiliate of American Tissue Corp. of Hauppauge, N.Y. AT is reportedly seeking financing to solve its cash-flow problem.

Wildlife bill proposed

CONCORD, N.H.—U.S. Sen. Bob Smith of New Hampshire is introducing a plan to provide more than $2 billion to protect wildlife and their habitat around the country. The bill would provide $350 million annually for five years for projects to buy, improve and manage wildlife areas; provide hunter and conservation education; perform wildlife population surveys, and build public facilities and improve public access to wildlife areas. His plan increases the amount of money available for such projects nationally. New Hampshire's share would rise from $500,000 to $3.5 million a year. Another $50 million a year would be available to private landowners to protect endangered or threatened species. Currently, landowners have to use their own money. In the final piece of the proposal, $50 million a year would be used to set up a fund to allow one or more states to apply for grants to protect areas of regional or national significance.

Thunderstorm safety tips

AUGUSTA—The Maine Emergency Management Agency offers the following thunderstorm safety information for Maine, which ranks eighth-highest in the U.S. in lightning casualty rate per capita: 1) Phone use is the leading cause of indoor lightning injuries; lightning can travel long distances in both phone and electrical wires. 2) Washers and dryers should be avoided during a thunderstorm since they have contacts to both the plumbing and electrical systems, and the dryer has an electrical path to the outside through the dryer vent. 3) Lightning can strike as much as 10 miles or more away from the rain area of a thunderstorm. If you can hear the thunder, you are probably within striking distance. 4) A shelter that does not contain plumbing, wiring, or some other mechanism to provide grounding is not safe in a storm. Remain in a substantial shelter at least 30 minutes after the last flash of lightning or the last thunder. 5) Doghouses are not safe in a storm and dogs attached to metal chains or wire runners are particularly vulnerable to a nearby lightning strike. 6) The current associated with a lightning discharge also travels along the ground. Many people have been struck in this way. 7) Concrete floors should be avoided during a thunderstorm since they usually contain some form of reinforcement that can easily become electrified.

From the Bethel Police Log:

Ultralight goes down

At 8:55 p.m. on July 15 police received information on a possible plane crash somewhere on Route 232. Rumford police advised the operator was being taken to Rumford Community Hospital. While enroute, the Bethel officer overheard traffic that the plane was an ultralight and had already been moved. The incident took place in Rumford so the officer cancelled his response.

Thursday, July 12

At 3:45 p.m. police were called to a lumber mill to help rescue an employee who had been injured by a debarker.

Monday, July 16

At 12:05 a.m. police arrested Brenda L. Taylor, 32, of Bethel and Michael S. McKinney, 33, of Oxford as a result of a domestic disturbance with mutual assaults. Both subjects were charged with domestic assault and taken to the Oxford County Jail.

Tuesday, July 17

At 3:20 a.m. police responded to a personal injury accident on the Sunday River Road, to assist the State Police with three victims.

This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log. It lists all cases of adults being arrested or issued a criminal summon, but does not include all reports of other police activity. To reach the Bethel Police Department, call 911 in emergency situations, 824-3437 in non-emergencies.

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Transit system

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ALL ABOARD—This Western Maine Transportation bus will be one of three providing service in the Bethel area this winter. Pictured is driver Ron Welch and, in the doorway, Transit Committee member Bruce Powell. *(Photo by Alison Aloisio)*

a.m. Half-hour service will be offered between 3 and 10 p.m.

The bus service will end on April 4.

Service will be open to all members of the public, not just visitors to the area. Stops may also include Telstar and Crescent Park Elementary School. SAD44 will allow the buses to be parked at the district bus garage when not in use.

Most of the funding for the system will come from MDOT. The department will pay to lease the Western Maine buses this year, and provide buses directly next year at a cost of $300,000. The annual operating costs of approximately $100,000 will be covered as follows: $25,000 from MDOT, $37,000 from local businesses and $32,500 from Sunday River Ski Resort. Sunday River will also contribute $4,500 in marketing.

For the local business portion, $21,000 has been contributed or pledged so far, Largess said. If the $37,000 total is not reached, service would be cut back proportionately.

The committee will continue to seek contributions from businesses for the next month.

Businesses that do contribute will reap benefits in the form of advertising. For example, a $250 contribution will mean a listing in the brochure/map that will be handed out to guests at all lodging places, as well as an unlimited supply of the brochure/maps, and a storefront decal indicating the business' support of the transit system. More displays and advertising are offered for higher contributions.

Largess said the brochures will also be seen at ski shows in Boston and London. Bill White of the Sudbury Inn said that over the course of the winter, 100,000 people will see the brochures in Bethel.

Any business interested in supporting the bus system may contact the chamber.

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ASC

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Colorado, will provide the financial flexibility and working capital needed to execute the company's business plan.

Fair said in an interview that he was encouraged by the interest that potential buyers have shown in Steamboat. While the company's strategic plan does not include other asset sales, he did not rule them out.

Also in the plan is a previously announced company-wide staff reorganization that includes elimination of 70 full-time jobs and conversion of 160 other full-time jobs from year-round to seasonal.

Oak Hill's financing package includes a lease guarantee of up to $14 million on the recently built gondola at the Heavenly resort, purchase of 1 million new common shares at $1 each, purchase of $12.5 million in notes convertible into preferred stock and funding of $2.5 million under its loan agreement with the company's real estate arm.

ASC noted that part of the new stock issuance to Oak Hill was carried out without stockholder approval normally required under New York Stock Exchange rules.

The company said it had determined that the delay needed to secure such approval would jeopardize its financial viability and its ability to complete its financial restructuring.

The New York Stock Exchange accepted the action based on an exception for cases of financial distress, ASC said.

Fair said the company has received no official notification from the exchange of a possible delisting of its stock, which has recently traded as low as 65 cents a share. It closed Monday at $1, up 2 cents.

Steven B. Gruber, managing partner of Oak Hill Capital Management, expressed continued support for ASC's management and its strategic plan.

"The actions taken to resolve the financial issues facing the company will provide management with the opportunity to focus on executing the new business plan — unlocking the significant value in the company's portfolio of world-class resorts and real estate assets," said Gruber, who serves on American Skiing's board.

ASC has not earned an annual profit since it went public in late 1997 at $18.

Cable suit

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presented Adelphia with a request for proposals for a new franchise.

The company responded on Jan. 30, 2001 — triggering a four-month deadline for the town to respond.

The deadline passed without a response from the town, and on June 18 Adelphia filed a civil suit in U.S. District Court in Portland.

The suit did not seek monetary damages, but rather to order the town to either accept the proposal or formally reject it.

Town Manager Scott Cole said Tuesday the town did not respond in part because "We hadn't done our homework on the issue."

Negotiations between a town and cable company for a franchise renewal are typically a time of bargaining, with towns attempting to get more and better programming, support for locally generated programming, and expansion of the cable system to neighborhoods with less population density (hence, fewer customers per mile of cable).

In Bethel's case the town was also attempting to get assurances that Adelphia would upgrade and continue to support dedicated lines providing free cable and Internet services to a number of locations in town.

Bethel's RFP spelled out the details of the town's request, but the proposal that came back from Adelphia fell far short of what the town was requesting — at least in the eyes of some town officials.

At a meeting earlier this month, Dresser told Shelly Winchenbach, a government relations manager for the company: "We got absolutely nothing we wanted. We just got arrogant treatment from away."

Dresser was also dismissive of a telephone survey conducted by Adelphia, on which the company based its own assessment of what cable customers here wanted.

"That was the sleeziest piece of work I've ever heard of," Dresser told Winchenbach. "You just called people up and asked loaded questions to get the answers you wanted."

Part of the reason Bethel now finds itself in court is that the town opted for a "formal" negotiation, which puts specific deadlines on aspects of the process.

Other towns here have opted for an "informal" process, in which town officials and company representatives sit down and attempt to hammer out a deal — without deadlines looming over the process.

Locally, Greenwood has reached agreement with Adelphia by means of the informal process, and Andover, Newry and Woodstock are currently in negotiations.

The informal process is not without its own frustrations for town officials. In Newry — which is attempting to convince Adelphia to extend its line up the Bear River Valley side of town — First Selectman Steve Wight said dealing with Adelphia, "is like buying used cars."

Nonetheless, Bethel now hopes to convince the cable company to agree to an informal process.

Winchenbach said Adelphia is still open to such an approach.

"Along with the formal proceeding, even though it's gone to court, we can still work hand in hand with the informal basis," she said. "I have been working with Scott, so that's not something that's out of the question. I just want to see how the town wants to handle it going forward."

She also noted later that Adelphia's proposal to Bethel included a $20,000 capital grant for public, educational and governmental access, as well as a commitment to rebuild the system within two years.

Car show

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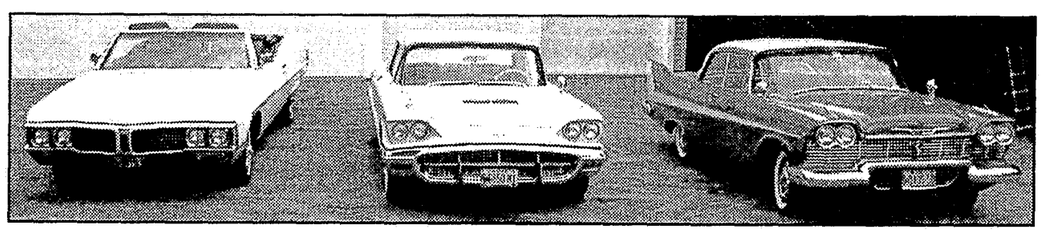

SHOW CARS—These cars will be among the entries in the first annual Telstar Car Show Saturday as part of Mollyockett Day. Upper photo: Cars owned by the late John Bayerlein will be entered by his wife, Marybeth. They include a 1970 Buick Electra, a 1960 Thunderbird and a 1958 Plymouth Belvedere (formerly owned by the Bethel Historical Society and Muriel Park Mason). Lower photo: Ken Cole will enter his 1984 Ford Ranger V-8 and 1966 Ford Fairlane. The Fairlane took third place in last year's Bonny Eagle Car Show in Standish, in the "factory muscle car" category. Cole's daughter Brittany, 12, and son Bronson, 10, will take over ownership of the respective vehicles when they are old enough to drive, he said. *(Photos by Alison Aloisio)*

School Car Show will be one of many Mollyockett Day events planned for Saturday. Howe has been busy distributing flyers for it in this area, as well as in Jay, New Gloucester, Rumford, Gardiner, Standish and Berlin, N.H. She is a member of the Friends of Telstar High School, the group that is organizing the show.

The show will serve as a fundraiser for scholarship and other student-recognition activities at Telstar. Other school groups, such as the senior and junior classes, will sell food or collect gate fees to benefit Project Graduation.

Vehicles will be displayed in the following categories: street rods, muscle cars, restorations in progress, special interest, mopars and motorcycles, as well as car and truck categories based on year of production (such as 1955 to 1963).

Participants will judge the top three cars in each class (except their own class) and trophies will be awarded. Special judges will also choose the best of show, best paint and best engine and award trophies. The trophies are sponsored by area businesses.

Howe said there seems to be a lot of interest in the show among area car enthusiasts.

Marybeth Bayerlein will enter three autos owned by her late husband, John, who died last fall. "I'm doing it for my husband, because he would have put them in the show," she said.

Ken Cole of Gilead plans to enter his 1966 Ford Fairlane and 1984 Ford Ranger V-8. He's been a car enthusiast his whole life, and has taken his vehicles to other car shows. "I think it's neat," he said of the plans for a Telstar show.

Cole is a Telstar alumnus. Howe hopes other alumni will enter vehicles, as well as current Telstar students."Teenagers and cars go hand in hand," she said.

There is no preregistration needed. The show will run from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Admission is $5 for a car, driver and one passenger, and $2.50 for spectators.

Howe is already thinking ahead to future years, with plans to contact car clubs in Maine about the show to boost participation.

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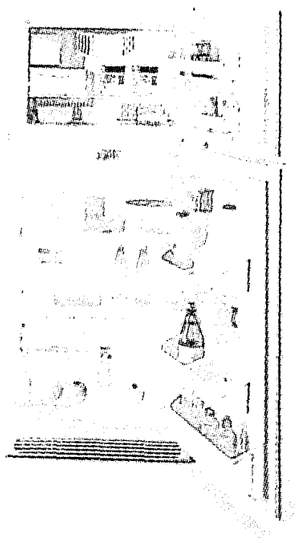

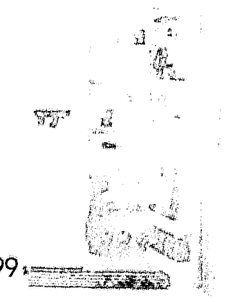

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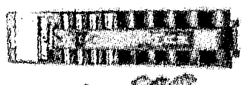

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Bethel

by Virginia Keniston

Joni Windham of Hooks, Texas, left Wednesday for South Portland to visit her brother, Dan Cummings, and family and her sister, Cherie Gane in Brunswick after spending some time visiting with her parents, Murray and Helen Cummings. She will fly to Texas on Aug. 14.

On Sunday, July 15, Eva Perry celebrated her 89th birthday and was a dinner guest of Wesley and Roxanne Enman of Lisbon Falls and Robert and Virginia Keniston of Bethel at Maurice's Restaurant in South Paris.

On Monday, July 16, Barbara Kuzyk celebrated her 80th birthday with friends for lunch at the Red Top in Locke Mills. Attending were Mary Keniston, Mary Eichel, Virginia Hutchins, Virginia Keniston, Kay McMillin, Arlene Brown, Elizabeth Bane and the honored guest.

The Sunday River house tours last Saturday were lots of fun and a great success.

Cynthia Campbell is now recuperating at home and doing well after undergoing surgery at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Visiting for two weeks with Norman and Sylvia Clanton are Norman's father, Norman, of San Antonio, Texas, and his sister, Deanna, and Will Ullrich of Houston, Texas.

Sylvia Bird Hoey is spending this week with her niece, Jackie and Robert Schuesler.

Hope Tibbetts is home after spending several weeks with her son, Ed, and family in Alaska.

Walter and Carol Hatch of Bailey Road, this past week, entertained their daughters from Pennsylvania, Georgia and Massachusetts.

Muriel Butters, Betty Lou Gingras, Florine Bowden, Julia Phaneus and Edna York were in Peabody, Mass., on July 15 to help Adelaide Bean Gibbs celebrate her birthday.

Kay McMillin joined a group from St. Catherine's Church, Norway, to spend the weekend at Saint. Anne de Beaupre in Quebec, Canada.

Barbara Weeks, daughter of Barbara Douglass and the late Dana Douglass, will participate on a mission trip to Beius, Romania this month, sponsored by the Romanian Evangelistic and Medical Mission.

BIRTHDAY TRIBUTE
Friends and relatives from across the country came to Bethel Saturday to help Ersel Murphy celebrate her 98th birthday. She received 98 red roses in honor of the occasion. Behind her is her daughter-in-law, Lea Murphy from Alameda, Calif.
(Photo by Michael Daniels)

She will be joined by other New Hampshire residents, Marie Carbonneau of Bedford and Tracy Diamond of Nashua, both occupational therapists, and Nancy Glennan of Bedford, a speech pathologist. The group will be asked to set up a therapy room for an orphanage and will educate staff and families about maintaining the daily health of the orphans. Most of the children adopted from Romania have been babies, left without parents due to the brutal rule of former Romanian dictator Nicolae Ceausescu, who was overthrown in the 1989 revolution. Even in the post-Ceausescu era, conditions remain far from ideal in the nation's crowded orphanages. A recent decision by the Romanian government to end western adoptions is being fought by adoption advocacy groups. The four New Hampshire women have been meeting every other week since January to prepare for the mission trip and have been overwhelmed by the donations received. Tax-deductible donations can be sent to Barbara Weeks, 13 Stark Highway North, Dunbarton, N.H. 03046. Checks should be made payable to St. Elizabeth Seton Church.

Bethel House

by Ruth Cummings

Well, folks, here I am again. I was 81 on July 17. It is lonesome in here even though I have a lot of company.

Cathy Newell brought me strawberries, biscuits and Cool Whip on Saturday.

Becky Cummings and her mother, Carolyn Wentworth, were also Saturday visitors.

Vada and Dewey got home from their honeymoon on Friday at 3 p.m. They traveled 7,448 miles, visited 19 states and one province in Canada. They visited me on Sunday and went to my apartment for some things I wanted.

The most Vada and Dewey paid for gas was $1.90 and that was in New York or Pennsylvania, and the least was $1.30.

Drew and Judy Webster visited Mr. and Mrs. Mark Kjellman and family in Phippsburg and attended a birthday party for their granddaughter, Lillian.

Gwen and I certainly had a lot of company on Monday: Carroll and Bea, Walter Fox, Drew, Robert, Kathy, Nancy, Muriel Butters, Tootsie Sciaraffa, Bob Glines and Barbara Brown. Barbara is now living at Market Square. Drew brought Gwen and me each an ice cream bar and Muriel brought me sunflowers.

Some from the Bethel House watched the fireworks from the upstairs veranda and reported they were good but that a cold wind was blowing.

July 5 was chosen as inspection day at Bethel House. Apartments were selected at random for inspection. About five are inspected each year. If they were to inspect your apartment, they go in whether you are home or not.

They said we were having fireworks last night. Big deal, just sparklers.

Pip, one of the activity ladies, came on July 4 with tiny flags for each of the residents.

Drew and Judy Webster stopped by on July 4 when they were on their way to Phippsburg where they spent the night at their daughter's. They brought Gwen and me each an ice cream bar and a flag.

Walker was in Wednesday. We had two games of cribbage and each one a game.

Sunflower the Clown was in Thursday. She says she knows you, Becky Ricker.

Barb and Ken brought me some beautiful pond lilies. I had forgotten that they go to sleep at night.

ROBERTSON REUNION

A Robertson family reunion, hosted by Brian and Shelley Peterson at their home on Elm Street, Bethel, was held on Saturday, July 7. Brenda Grover, Jackie and Robert Scheusler and Helen Cummings assisted them.

Everyone enjoyed the social time and met aunts, uncles and cousins they had not met or seen for some time. It was topped off by movies shown by Charlie Keoskie that he had taken over the years when many of the adults were very small children.

Those in attendance were Mary and Charles Keoskie of Brunswick and Florida; Henry and Betty Robertson, Bethel; Michael, Melanie and Anna Montagna of Massachusetts; Dylan Fox, Norway; Martin, Michele, Heather, Joshua, Robyn and Alicia White, Rumford; Jean and Glen Ramsay, Scarborough; Vicki Robertson, Merry Anne and Jack Harkins and Omer Gagne, all of Brunswick; Dan, Betsey, Carly and Ross Cummings, South Portland; William Dane Robertson and Danielle Lee Robertson, Norway; Vincent and Terry Robertson, Paris Hill; Bill and Diane Keoskie, Kingfield; Brian, Shelley, Kyle and Hayley Peterson, Bethel and New Jersey; Jackie and Robert Scheusler, Bethel; Matthew Robertson, Norway; Tim and Tracy Moore, Litchfield; Joni Windham, Hooks, Texas; Cherie Gagne and Ron Garrison, Brunswick; and Helen Cummings, Bethel.

TELSTAR CLASS OF '81

The Telstar High School Class of 1981 is still looking for classmates for their 20th class reunion: Luke Carter, Karen Marshall-Hughes, Tim Mathews and Ronald Nelson. Please contact Michele Marois at 674-3325 (leave a voicemail if no answer) as soon as possible with information about locating any of them or their parents.

Sunday River Valley

by Rockie Graham

It is another week of sun, rain, and sun. I can't remember the last time there was a full day without some rain. My weeds are doing quite well. Actually, my lettuce and other greens appear happy. Now if I could just spend more time tackling the weeds.

My gardening definitely took a back seat last week to my asthma. After being exposed to secondhand smoke, at work, I developed the worst case of asthmatic bronchitis I have ever experienced. It has not been fun, and still lingers on. It prevents me from doing too much physical activity. That means I have not been able to work out. Even Tasha's walks are difficult. That is clearing up with the help of some concoctions from Amy at Serenity Corners and an emergency tincture from Avena Botanicals. Hopefully, I will be cough free by Mollyocket Day, this Saturday.

Being awake most of the night this past week, I noticed that there were many fireflies outside. I do not believe I have seen them in years. It was a real delight to see the little patches of light appearing all over the night sky. I also noticed that the planets are visible in the early morning hours. I know that Mercury and Venus are present; I think Jupiter is also visible. Of course, that is only when the clouds recede sufficiently.

In addition, I have been hearing an owl these last few nights. It sounds like he/she is calling out to someone to let him or her know that the pickings are good. Perhaps he'll tackle that overlarge skunk lurking in the neighborhood.

This past weekend the Valley was alive with happenings. On Saturday, the Bethel Historical Society had the tour of Sunday River Valley. More people visited the schoolhouse than have seen it in a long time. I just wish some of those visitors would see fit to send a donation for the repairs that need to be made. Because the tour of the houses was conducted by the His-

The Way I See It

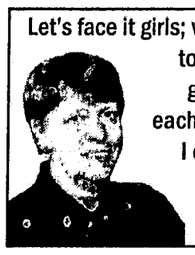
by Sharon Bouchard

Sharon Bouchard's column is published here by special arrangement with the Advertising Department of this newspaper.

I think that men are much better friends to each other than women are. Have you ever noticed that?

I sense a few female doubters in that thought and are probably groaning as they read this, but I think it's true anyway.

Women form very intense friendships where they tell all and share all, but one false move by one or the other friend and that relationship is history. Only they may not tell the friend, there will just be an abrupt change in demeanor and a big chill in the air.



Let's face it girls; we do tend to play mind games with each other and I don't think that men do.

Men, on the other hand, seem to create relationships with each other that last forever. They accept each other at face value and don't attempt to go below the surface.

Ask a guy if his best friend has a good marriage and he'll probably tell you, "Yeah, I guess, I don't really know. We never talk about it. How about those Red Sox?"

Now ask a woman if her best friend has a good marriage and the answer may go something like this; "Well, I guess it works, but to tell you the truth, I don't know how she puts up with him. He's so demanding and such a slob. But, you know how she is, she never sticks up for herself or says what's really on her mind. That's the one thing I don't like about her; she lets other people push her around, other than that I love her dearly. I told her just the other day 'Stand up for yourself, don't let that jerk tell you what to do.' I suppose as long as she keeps bending over to make him happy they get along okay, but it's really none of my business."

Men don't play mind games with each other like women do. If one guy says to the other, "I've got to cut down on the junk food and lose a few pounds. I've really been packing it on lately." His friend might say, "I know what you mean, I've been packing it on myself. How about those Red Sox."

Two women in the same situation might go; "I'll pass on dessert, I'm trying to lose weight so I can at least get back into a size 14." The friend may respond, "I know it's so hard. I don't know what's been happening to me lately because I've always been a size 8, but you know that new dress I just got? It's a size 6 and it fits like a glove!"

Or two women of similar overweight size; "I'll pass on dessert, I'm trying to lose weight, I'm too darn fat." Her friend's response; "You look fine to me and I made you that strawberry swirl cheesecake you like so well, won't you just have a small piece?"

Two men discussing a mutual friend; "So what's Bob up to these days? I haven't seen him in quite a while." Friend's response; "I haven't seen much of him either. I guess he's been pretty busy fixing up the house. How about those Red Sox."

Same scenario, two women; "Have you seen Sally lately? Last time I saw her I thought she was getting pretty thick in the hips. You don't suppose she's pregnant again?" Friend's response; "I saw her a couple of weeks ago in the supermarket. You might be right, she definitely is putting on weight. She can barely keep up with the kids she's got, I don't know how on earth she would cope with another one. I don't really know what's going on in her life; she barely spoke, but she's always been strange anyway."

Let's face it girls; we do tend to play mind games with each other and I don't think that men do. We are so skilled in the art of the put down that we make it look like a compliment. For example; "My little Tommy started walking at 11 months old." "Oh Mary, he's such a smart little boy, but do you remember that my Susie was walking at 9 months old? But of course, she's a girl and girls mature much earlier than boys." Friendship is kind of like a competitive sport for a lot of women.

Guys don't try to make other guys feel guilty because they look good. They don't attempt to force high calorie goodies on their dieting friends. They don't gloat over their children's achievements. I wonder why that is?

It could be because they're more honest than women with each other, but I don't think that's exactly true. Maybe it's because their relationships never go much below the surface, but I'm not sure about that either. Could it be because they direct any need they have to gloat or put someone down on their wives or girlfriends? I don't know.

Whatever the case, the way I see it, men still make better friends than women. And I hope they remember that I said that because after this column hits print, I just may need a few new friends myself. How about those Red Sox?

Super Crossword

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75 Brenda or Brandon
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103 Famous fellow?
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106 Stout relative
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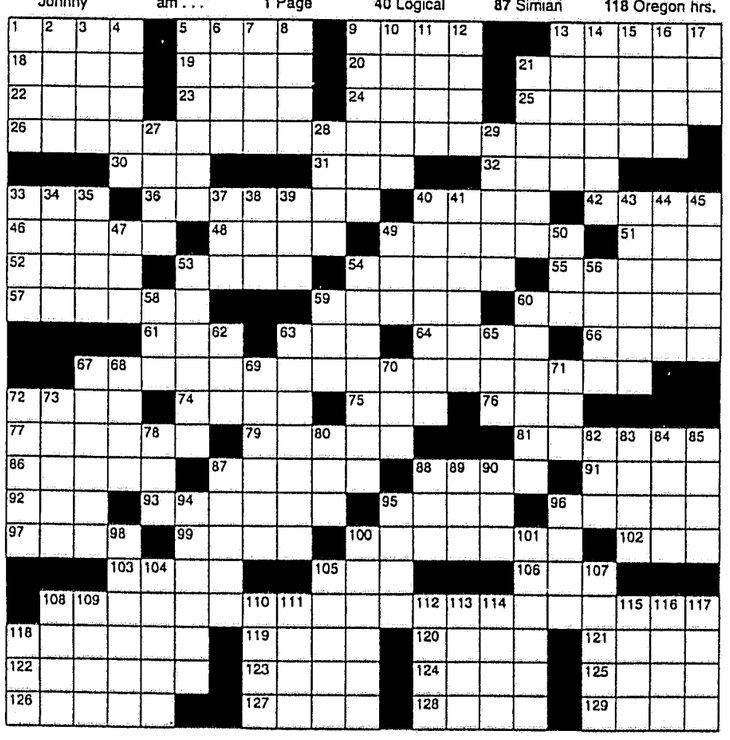

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torical Society, many thought that they owned the schoolhouse and were responsible for its maintenance. Not so. The Sunday River Schoolhouse is maintained by the Town of Newry. Since we open it for historical society tours, perhaps we can convince them to make a donation for its maintenance. Actually, they may already do so. I am not sure.

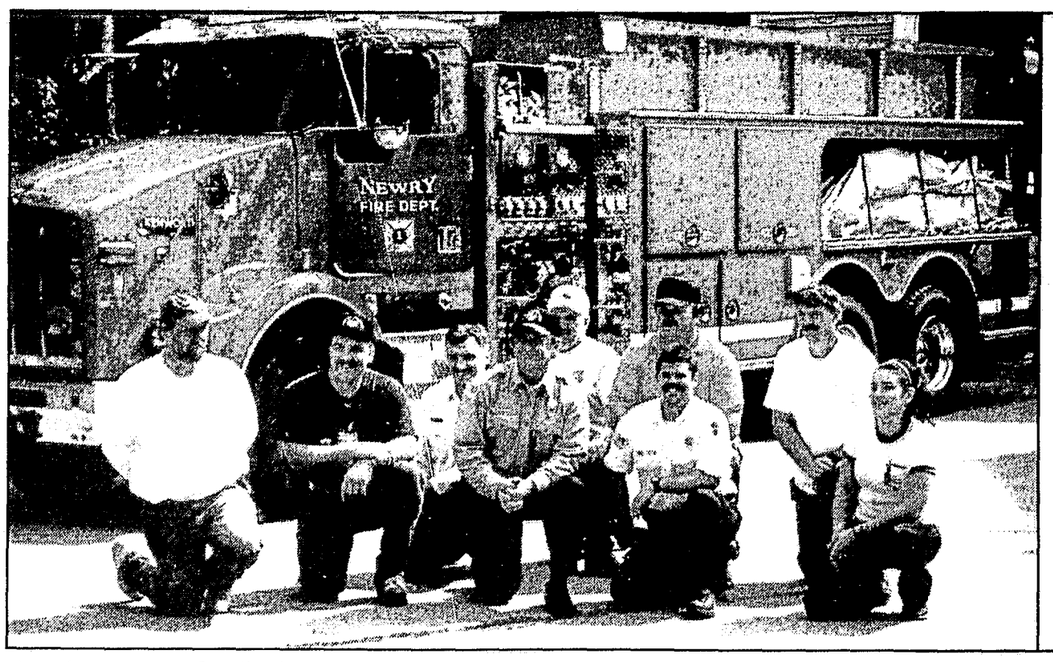
The other event in the Valley was the open house at the Sunday River Fire Station, to show off the new tanker truck. It is quite lovely to look at, the first new truck Newry Fire Department has owned. There was a nice turnout and Brad Wight made the best peanut butter/chocolate chip brownies that I have ever tasted. His mom said he has eaten them every day of his life for years. I can see why. I want that recipe.

I have noticed an increasing number of walkers and bicyclists recently. I wish we had a better bicycle/walking path. Cars are still not sure how to approach our one-sided path. No one is sure whether to walk back to traffic to be in the path or stay with the time-conditioned practice of walking facing traffic. Myself, I want to see the traffic before it hits me. It is good to see all those people out and about, however.

Speaking of bicycles, my friend helped me see the problem with mine. Now I just have to fix it so I can ride, again, that is as soon as my bronchitis is gone. I can't wait.

Next week, on the 26th, Bethel Area Poets Society will have their July Poetry Reading. Since at last look, the Café was still not open for the season, the reading will be held at the Sunday River Fire Station on Sunday River Road. Anyone needing directions can call me at 824-3427. All are welcome to attend.

That is all for now. Have a good week, enjoy Mollyocket Day. Two of the events will occur in our Valley — the wife thing and the Duck Race. Looking forward to it.



NEW TRUCK
The Newry Fire Department held an open house Sunday featuring its new 3,000-gallon tanker truck. Shown here, with the truck in the background, are, front (from left): Alan Fleet, chief Brad Wight, Marvin Collins, Keith Testani, Jessika Macias. Back: Randy Harrington, Ed Powers, Jeff Fleet, Gary Wight. *(Photo by Nana Wight)*

Hanover

by
Clem Worcester

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hayden and daughter, Taylor, from DeWitt, Mich., are vacationing at Thompson Lake in Poland and recently visited Betty Hayden in her Hanover home.

The Hanover Planning Board met July 11 at the Town House, with three members and one alternate attending. There were six others at the meeting. Board members and CEO Pete Barlow answered questions from the selectmen regarding a completed construction at Howard Pond. They also approved several permit applications. Several projects have been delayed pending state approval of the limited residential status within the shoreland zone that was approved by voters last year. Pete Barlow reported that approval could be by July 19 if updated maps are available.

Last Thursday, the Source to the Sea Canoe Trek landed at the Hanover boat ramp while on their way down the Androscoggin River. They were greeted and cheered to shore by a group of well wishers from Hanover and the area. All had gathered for the dedication of the boat landing facility that was built nearly a year ago.

The trip leader, Steve Wight, introduced the master of ceremonies, Bruce Powell, chairman of the Hanover Board of Selectmen. Bruce acknowledged the town's appreciation for Mead Corporation's donation of the property that became the boat landing and neighboring property that will be the new Hanover town office. He also expressed appreciation to the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife for building the site.

Others who were called upon to comment were I&W commissioner, Lee Perry; Mead Corporation's Sue Parrella, public relations; state Representative Arlan Jodrey; and Sue Lincoln, Trek coordinator for the Source to the Sea Canoe Trek.

Stony Brook Recreation supplied and served a fine picnic lunch with hot dogs, chips, cookies and juice for the participants and spectators.

The weather was good for the event, with the exception of a brief mid-afternoon light shower. Although the largest group of canoes arrived from Bethel along the Androscoggin River, a smaller group arrived from Andover by way of the Ellis River.

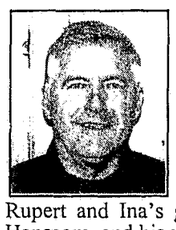
The Howard Pond Campers' Association met July 7 at the Dragoon cottage. There were reports that the meeting was quiet and members voted to remove a sign.

North Newry

by
Gil Seeley

Karlene and husband Ras Bachelder were in Providence, R.I. recently to visit with their son, Brent, of the Club Neopolsi Creation Design Studio Gallery. Polly Mahoney also went with them. They enjoyed a feast of chicken and seafood cooked by Peter Haraty, chef and partner. Also there were Peter's mother and brother, and Melissa, a school friend of Brent's, who works on jewelry designing. They toured the apartment that had been remodeled by Bob Vila of the "Home Again" TV series. They also went around Providence to see all the design and murals done by Brent. They even went to Newport where all the rich people live. They are back home now and resting.

Mason Township



by
Richard Grover

There was another joyful addition to the extended Grover family last week when Rupert and Ina's grandson, David Hanscom, and his wife Amy gained a tax deduction. The happy happening happened at 5:46 a.m. July 12, when Amy gave birth to Emily Ruth Hanscom, a 7 pound 11 ounce bouncing bundle of joy. Emily's big two-year old sister, Kristi, is happy with the new addition and keeps begging to hold Emily.

In other news, I'm personally getting tired of these daily rain showers. It seems that just when I'm getting ready to do something constructive outdoors, it starts raining. Last Saturday, Mona and I decided to climb Whitecap Mountain to check out the blueberry crop there. We found the route from the old "Farmers Hill Road" up the mountain had been thoroughly logged over. This obscured the trail and made it a little tricky to find the best route to the ledges, but we got there after stumbling over a few slash piles. Getting there was most of the fun, because blueberries are scarce this year on the top. If you plan a trip to Whitecap, don't bother to take a very big container — you wont need it.

We hiked all the way to the summit to check out the blueberries. Not finding any, we had a snack and drink of water and started back on the mile, or so, of ledges above tree line. Shortly, we encountered one of those 10-minute downpours, which soaked our tee shirts to the skin. After the shower blew over, we each took out our dry long-sleeve shirt and put it on to get warm again. All went well as we got back to the lower ledges, where we found a few scattered patches of ripe blueberries. Of course, Snuffy peed on one of the best looking patches, turning us off from that one. By scrounging around from one spot to another, we managed to pick a couple quarts, or so, of berries, when we noticed an ominous looking rain shower headed our way. Then, we hustled to get off the ledges and back to the woods ahead of the rain.

Just in time, we got down the last open ledge to the fringe of spruce trees. A real deluge commenced and continued, as we huddled under a clump of spruces to stay dry. In about 10 minutes, our "spruce roof" began to leak. Mona said the water was running down her back and soaking her jeans, so we might as well start walking. Her glasses were so fogged up she put them in her berry pail. By now, the trail was a brook.

Off we set, staying to the sides of the trail where we could in order to maintain footing on the steep slope. It finally quit raining, but, by then, we were on the main skidder trail, which was a muddy, slippery mess, littered with stumps, roots and wet sticks. We managed a safe descent, emptied the water out of our blueberry pails and got into the car, where Mona doffed her jeans so she wouldn't get the car seat wet.

East Bethel

by
Nancy Mercer

Ruth Bethel, Dale and Nancy Kimball, Dot Bartlett and Nancy Mercer attended the Bethel Senior Citizens Club meeting and dinner at Rebel Rec. on July 11.

I do not know what the fuss over the communications tower for the Bailey Road is about. Those of us in East Bethel have a pipeline to live with, and yes it is underground, but more damage will come from it if there is an accident.

The final honor roll for the school year: grade 10: Heather Zimmerman, daughter of Roger and Lynn Zimmerman; grade seven, Brian Piawlock; grade eight, Karl Olson; and grade four, Kassandra Haines and Alex Hebert.

Alder River Grange recently elected officers with the following results: master, James Lowe; overseer, Peter Haines; lecturer, Dot Boyce; steward, Tim McGuire; assistant steward, Nina Mollicone; L.A. steward, Brenda Dyer; chaplain, Betsey Foster; treasurer, Stanley Howe; secretary, Nancy Mercer; gatekeeper, George Haines; Ceres, Gerry Howe; Pomona, Beth Myers; Flora, Nancy Thew; executive committee for three years, Rodney Dyer.

East Bethel Church will have services on July 29 and Aug. 26 at 2 p.m. with Ben Conant doing the service.

Fawn and Austin Sanford and their son, Austin Jr., of California visited Clare Piawlock recently. Fawn is Clare's granddaughter, and they drove east and drove back.

Judy Smith of Bucksport was at Donna Bernard's retirement party on June 30.

Kaye Devona of Skowhegan visited Arlene Harrington from July 16 to 18.

Arlene Harrington visited Judy Smith in Bucksport from July 1 to 7 and then went on up to Millinocket where she visited old friends from July 8 to 10.

Carl and Donna Hallman and Heather of Durham visited Arlene Harrington on July 15. Heather will stay a few days with Arlene.

Sonny and Bettyann Hastings and Florence Hastings attended Hugh Morton's funeral on July 12.

Florence Hastings returned on July 15 from Tricky Pond where she had been visiting with Dave and Ann Morton.

The turkeys made it through the winter okay. On July 8, on Kimball Hill, there were four hens with at least 15 youngsters between them.

It would be nice to have a few days of pure sunshine. Have a good week.

Andover

by
Joan Stinson Carney

Well you can all breathe a sigh of relief, the boas have come and gone back to Roxbury, and all the children that attended have been accounted for. Rumor has it that there is a picture of Janet with one wrapped around her neck and she is holding two more, one in

AUDLEY GREEN will present a harpsichord recital, "From Baroque to Boogie-Woogie," on Wednesday, July 25 at 7 p.m. at the Unitarian-Universalist Church, Norway. Tickets, $10 for adults, $5 for under 12, and $25 for a family, are available in advance at reduced cost at Fare Share Market, Norway. A reception will follow the concert at The Commons. Proceeds will benefit Fare Share Co-op. For more information, call 743-2423.

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each hand. Yes, there were three. Fortunately, I didn't have to see them; just the thought that they were in the same building gave me the creepy crawlies. This Saturday should prove to be just as much fun; Patty Brown is going to show us how to make stamps. Now that's more up my alley. No, not 34-cent U.S. postage stamps, really nice, different stamps.

I am sorry that I just found out. Sharon Hutchins had surgery last week — I wish people would tell me these things. A card would be nice if you haven't sent one already. Hope all is well, Sharon; I have a special angel saved for you.

Birthday celebrants for the following week include Andrew Ecker, Arthur Hutchins and Lawrence Winson on the 20th; Brianna Spaulding and Katie Swasey on the 21st; Herbert Mosher, the 3rd, Samantha Marie Cuff and Kimberly Learned on the 23rd; Erika Davis on the 24th; Robert M. Morin and Eric Hutchins on the 25th. I get names for the birthday paragraph from the Andover Service Circle's Birthday Calendar, so if you want the name of someone you love to appear in this column on their birthday, call Judy Michaud at 392-1221, she will be happy to help you out.

The Andover Public Library will hold a raffle on Olde Home Days. Several nice things will be raffled off — more on this later. The library will also have a book sale from 1 to 4:30 p.m.

The photography contest held during Olde Home Days has revised its categories and will now award 51 ribbons. Photos will be listed under the subjects of portrait, animal and landscape. The categories consist of framed and/or matted (all ages); ages 17 years and older; ages 11 to 16; ages 10 and under; and black-and-white photos (all ages). Each category will be awarded three firsts, three seconds and three third-place prize ribbons. There will be one Grand Prize ribbon for each category, and one Best of Show, with a prize.

All photos must be submitted to the library no later than Aug. 1, between 1 and 4 p.m. Name, address and age (if under 17) must be printed on the reverse of the photo. No more than three submissions per person in each category, and no professionals, please.

My brother, Perry Stinson, his wife, Jana, and son, Matthew, will arrive sometime next week for a long visit. Plans are underway for a trip to Boston to see those amazing Red Sox, and I don't know what else.

The Upton Road is now fully tarred. I haven't been up to look at it yet. It's going to seem really odd not to have to go over a dirt road, but I've found another one. Did you know that the Sawyer Notch Road isn't fully tarred? I didn't until the other day, so now I feel better about the "Flatlanders" having a piece of history to travel over; we can just send them up there. I still think a tollbooth is a great idea.

The Andover Water Station took a direct lightning hit last week. Drinking water had to be boiled, but I think all is okay now. Do you think that this might have been a sign from the great God of Whatever? I know an awful lot of people are upset about their water bills. Has anyone been asking for vengeance lately? Seriously though, the district still needs another member. You must be a member of the water district to be eligible. Please remember, too, that the Andover Water District is in no way connected to the town of Andover, so if you have any questions, you need to call the district office not the town office.

The word of the week is pundit. Look it up. See ya.

THE FAMILY LITERACY FOUNDATION of former First Lady Barbara Bush has selected SAD44 Adult Education as the recipient of a $25,000 grant for the 2001-02 school year. Adult Education Director Cathy Newell is shown with Maine First Lady Mary Hermon and Mrs. Bush following the awards ceremony in Biddeford on June 5.The funded project, Book Buddies Plus, grew out of a small-scale project funded during the past year by donations from Bethel Rotary and Community Concepts, as well as other family literacy projects funded by the Bush Foundation over the past six years. The project is a collaborative venture with the West Bethel Children's Center and will involve coordinated literacy activities for both adults and children, including the distribution of book bags and related activities. Kathy Goldberg will serve as the Book Buddies Plus coordinator.

Upton

by Eleanor LeComte

Mid-summer is here in all its glory. The activity level of the townsfolk is up at least 200 percent.

Gardens are flourishing. The wildflowers are blooming about a week ahead of their usual time. It has been a cool and windy July, so the number of boats on the lake is lower than usual. Groups of children from summer camps appear at the public landing daily waiting for the chance to canoe the lake in safety.

Thank you to all those who made the Ladies Aid Yard and Bake Sale such a success. It was a fun day. We all enjoyed messing through the "castoffs" and buying something we could not possibly live without. Thank you to John and Connie Angevine for the pot of flowers donated to the Ladies Aid.

The next thank you is to the Strattons for the great book donation to the library. Most of the books are novels and according to the librarians, Sue and Vi, they are "goodies."

Dave and Joan Miller and Sue Nelson joined the "Source to the Sea Trek" on July 5, canoeing down the Magalloway and Androscoggin rivers to the Errol dam. The trip was approximately 10 miles and very enjoyable. En route they encountered two mother loons, each tending a set of twin chicks.

Last week, Sue, Dick, Connie and John Angevine, canoed the Upper Connecticut Lakes in Pittsburg, N.H., viewing and enjoying wildlife and the great outdoors.

We haven't had any bear encounters lately, and after hearing about the "Bear Hug" in Bethel, we really don't want any. Margaret Mitchell's granddaughter, Wendy, has been tenting out on the grass again. So far she hasn't had a bear encounter, but we all know that there are more bears on Back Street than people. The Williamson's guest, Melissa, also tented on the lawn. After we warned her of the danger of being stepped on by a bull moose, she moved indoors abruptly.

The Upton "Strollers" are finding more favorable weather and less bugs on their morning jaunts. Sandy Wixon checks in four miles a day. Joan Miller keeps herself in great shape doing the "Hill." So much for pinning "Guilt Trips" on the sedentary observers.

Buster Williamson reports that there are twin bull moose up in his field quite frequently. Ginny saw one up close to the house, with a massive rack in velvet. The animal was in tiptop shape.

We expect a good turnout from Upton for Mollyockett Day. We are proud to say that Joan Miller, our longtime summer resident, will be exhibiting her watercolors with Helen Morton across from the Bethel Common. It is a "don't miss" display. Both of these ladies have made a second career with their artwork.

Lunch at the Balsams Panorama Country Club was enjoyed by eight friendly ladies from Errol, Upton, and Milan. They were Julia Alain, Helen Donato, Cathy Garneau, Ellie LeComte, Betty LeDuc, Jeanette Pinette, Dot Roberge, Evelyn Sokolowski and newlywed Dot Sherer. The food was wonderful, the price was right, the view was spectacular and the company was the best.

There is an explosion of baby birds in the area. Several people have robins nesting for the second time. We have "feeding frenzies" with the blackbirds, robins, evening grosbeaks, phoebes and Canada geese. The newly hatched ruby throated hummingbirds are at the feeders most of the day.

Barbara Stratton observed a large bird killing and devouring a duck at Birch Point. We assume it was a bald eagle having lunch. Sue Nelson reported a similar incident earlier in the summer. The area around the Dead Cambridge River has many bird families. They are thriving because of the high incidence of mosquitoes and other flying monsters in the vicinity.

The "Bird of the Week" is the black fly, who should take a hike. We have had just about enough of them.

Congratulations are sent to Sue and Dick Angevine who celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary on July 15. They celebrated with an outdoor party with their eight children and nine grandchildren. The group moved to the New Hampshire State Campground for an afternoon of swimming and canoeing, hot dogs and toasted marshmallows. On returning to their home on the East "B" Hill Road they enjoyed tea and cookies with their good, longtime neighbors, Jeanette and Lionel Roy. Now isn't that the way life should be?

Locke Mills

by Lorraine Larson

The baby swallows have now flown the coop, so to speak, probably much to the relief of their parents, who have been very busy feeding them. Of course they will stay near them and feed them if needed, but mostly they will be learning to get food for themselves. It must be quite an experience to be learning to fly and then to be expected to catch that flying insect while flying yet. It probably doesn't come easily at first. But the more they fly and the more they eat, the stronger they get.

This past week we have had some baby crows eating bugs off a tree in the backyard and they are really funny to watch. They would reach for a bug, almost lose their balance, up go the tails and they teeter on the branch finally regaining their balance. Once in a while one can't get back upright so it sort of half flies, half hops to another branch. All this takes place in the midst of a cacophony of sounds. Crows are a noisy bunch when they get together, that's for sure. Usually baby birds look bigger than their parents, so it seems as if they should know how to do things that they don't. And the bigger the bird, the more ridiculous it looks. Makes me think of the Puppy Chow commercial that shows a little puppy and then this gangling youngster, and the caption says, "He's a puppy, too."

I was glad to see in the paper that the loon on North Pond had a baby hatch. At first I wasn't sure if all the construction noise might keep her off the nest more than she should, but then I thought that maybe nesting was a boring and lonely business and she welcomed the diversion. In any case, so far the little family seems to be okay. Ann Fitzmorris said she saw the chick riding on the mother's back the other day. I have seen babies swimming near their mothers, but I never have happened to see one on the mother's back, except in pictures, but I'm sure if I live long enough I will.

I love loons and I love to listen to them. The first one I ever heard was when I was at Girl Scout camp in Otisfield, and at that time there was more than one family on the lake, but there was less pollution and more food then. Most bodies of water cannot support too many of them now. Anyhow, that first call across Lake Thompson sparked a lifelong interest in them. My loon book tells me they are quite a drab bird where they winter over and we are the ones privileged to see them in their fancy breeding plumage. That's a good thing. (Hope Martha Stewart doesn't have that line copyrighted.)

Andy and I went to Lewiston Tuesday where he had his annual cancer checkup at CMMC. I was the lucky one, as I had lunch with Norma and Fritz Peterson. Norma was feeling a lot better than she was when we had the family 4th of July picnic at Ellie's and Fred's. Actually it was more of a cookout and birthday bash for Donald Peterson and Allie Rubin, who both turn two in July. They are both cute as buttons, and don't they love the pool. Even after she had been in a

LONG-TIME OBSERVER—Sally Sawyer reached her 15th year in service to the National Weather Service as an official cooperative observer in April of last year. She was recently presented a length-of-service award by James Brown of the Weather Service. Each morning at 7 a.m., she reads and records any precipitation that has occurred in the last 24 hours. In the cold months, she measures snowfall and the depth of snow on the ground. The snowfall is then melted and its water equivalent reported.

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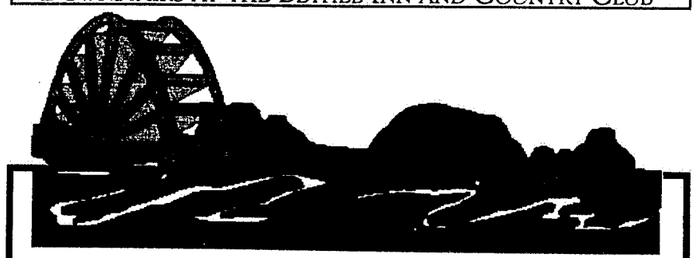

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good hour, Allie headed straight for the pool after she had been dried and dressed. Luckily there were a lot of cousins between her and the water and she was scooped up by Debbie Perrin and returned to her mother, Sharon Rubin, before she could jump in, which no one had any doubt but what she would have done. Donald's older brother, George, who is six, swims like a fish. I know they never swim alone, but it still made me nervous when George jumped in the deep end and swam under water to the ladder on the side halfway down the pool. I couldn't see him until he surfaced and I was about ready to call to someone to check on him. We had a good time, but wished Norma had felt better. Anyhow, those present at that bash were Fritz and Norma; Fred and Ellie Peterson; Kathy and Dick Perrin, children, Ricky and Jonathan; Debby Perr; Melissa Perr (Joshua was not able to be present); Kenneth Peterson; Steve and Sharon Rubin and Allie; Steve and Amy Peterson and children, George, Kathy and Donald; Amy's mother and sister, Ruth Trites and Sarah Trites; and Donald (Andy) and I.

The family calls my husband Don or Donald, so after I've been there, I keep calling him that. It took me a long time to learn to call him Andy but not long to slip back into the name I've always known him by. It doesn't seem to bother them, that there are two Donalds, as they have two Kathys and two Steves (and two Richards but they are Dick and Ricky). Donald Peterson was named after his grandfather, Donald Trites. A bit of trivia I'm sure you were all just dying to know, yeah right.

Andy and I celebrated our fourth wedding anniversary Thursday, July 12, very quietly at home. I have pulled a muscle in my knee and am supposed to stay off my feet, keep an ice pack on it and elevate my leg. So right after I got those orders, I went to Debbie's to get my hair done. It is nice to have her shop here in Locke Mills, and since she does both barbering and styling, it's great for both men and women and good for the town to get a new business.

Anyhow, to get back to the anniversary bit, Andy and I decided since next year will be our fifth, we will celebrate then. There is certainly not many ways anyone can get real festive with one leg elevated and an ice pack on it.

MEISNERS CELEBRATE 50TH
Barbara and Orville Meisner celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on June 23 at a family gathering at her sister Nancy and Matt Brooks' camp on Worthley Pond. The party was planned by their children and spouses, Diane and Marlan Dyment and Gary and Janet Meisner. Attending besides the above mentioned were their three granddaughters, Tracy, Carrie and Tammy Dyment; Joy and Herschel Hall; Audrey, Paul and Bethany Sefakis; Dale and Robert Bihlmeyer; Shelly, Luke, Zachary and Hannah Mailhot; Sylvia Witham; and Sally Bryant. Orville Meisner and Barbara Glover were married on June 23, 1951 at her parents' home in East Andover. Mr. Meisner is retired after working 40 years at the Boise Cascade, now Mead Paper Mill, in Rumford. Mrs. Meisner is retired from SAD44 after working 22 years as a cook in the hot lunch program. The couple has lived in East Andover all their lives.

Ken and Barb Wakefield stopped by for a few minutes. They said they won't be doing any traveling this year, as it hurts Ken's back to ride. I hope for their sakes that it will be all right by next year. Even though we live in Vacationland, it is nice to take a trip now and then to some other states for a change in scenery and/or a visit to family and friends.

I forgot to mention that Andy and I attended a cookout at Pastor Chuck and Kathy Mason's home in Gilead Sunday after church. Those present were Jim and Mary Cobb; Phil and Juanita Korhonen; Becky Lawrence; Mary Lawrence; Donna and Josh Browne and Emma; Tammy Ward; Rhonda Mitchell; Laurie and Jim Tuttle, Mikel, Rebecca and Sioux Ann; Richard Walker; Gerry and Joe Shimamura; Warren, Muriel and Roy Hart and some teens whose names I haven't learned yet, and of course Chuck and Kathy and Andy and I. I hope I haven't forgotten anyone. The thunderstorms held off much to everyone's surprise, and a good time was had by all.

Greenwood City

by Colista Morgan

"Mischief" is a fluffy, young gray cat who has spent all her short life inside the house. When spring came, she had an urge to explore. After she had been outside for a time, her adopted "mom" decided to look for her. Eventually she could hear her crying but not being able to see her, she called "dad." No luck. So they called a neighbor who was haying in a nearby field. He spotted her high in a tree. After some discussion, a tractor was brought and the neighbor climbed into a bucket on the front and was hoisted in an attempt to reach her. Being unsuccessful, he called for help from a coworker and the two were able to rescue the frightened kitty. She has not asked to go out into the dangerous world since.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Mills from North Haven have returned home after visiting with their Aunt Colista and other members of their family.

Ann Holt Payne has been with other teachers at a work meeting for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Inman have returned from their fishing trip.

Rena Curtis stayed a few days in Freeport with her daughters, Colista and Lillian, last week.

Bryant Pond

by Alice Hoyt

Judith Grover Tent 17, Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, held their picnic at the Grange Hall instead of Helvi's because of the rain. Nine members were present. The charter was draped in memory of Past Department President Emogene Staples and Althea Osborn. It was nice to see both Kathleen McAllister and Beatrice Farnum out to the meeting. Marybeth Hoover gave a short report on the department convention.

On July 26, the Stoneham tent has invited our tent to a cookout at the Stoneham Church.

Elsie Bonney and Sally Sawyer reported on their trip to Gettysburg, when the 20th Maine left flank marker was replaced. Twenty-nine calls were reported. On Tuesday evening, Helvi Cary will present the town a flag for the annex, from Dept. D.U.V. The next meeting will be held on the fourth Monday, Aug. 27.

Patch the Pirate Club is held each Wednesday evening at the Baptist Church at 6:30 p.m. Sunday services: Sunday School and Adult Bible Fellowship, 9:15 a.m.; morning worship, 10:30 a.m.; choir practice, 4:45 p.m. and evening service, 6 p.m. On Sunday, July 22, Missionary Barry Ritchie, on deputation to Honduras, will be at all services. Looking ahead: Aug. 13 to 17, Vacation Bible School will be held each evening from 6 to 8, with the theme being "Jesus to the Rescue."

The Historical Society encourages everyone to take a real interest in community activities. Members of the society are dedicated volunteers. Curator Larry Billings has been reading a novel, "You Must Remember This" by Joyce Carol Oates. He received a letter from President Bush. The society preserves our heritage as a foundation for the future. The curator has given the society a book on the Appalachian Trail. President Annella Burnham and Mary Billings watched the museum and sold a lot from the store. The Maine State Library has ordered three copies of "Hamlin's Gore."

South Woodstock

by Andrea Wing

On July 28, the Whitman Memorial Library in Bryant Pond will hold a family fun day. The rain date is Aug. 4. There will be games and crafts for kids and a book, bake and craft sale. Tables can be rented for $5 each to sell crafts. You can call the librarian, Rebecca Laitres, at 665-2505 for more information. The library is open Tuesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Wednesday and Friday, noon to 4 p.m. Please come and join the fun and help support the library.

Marta Clements wants to thank the Willing Workers for the beautiful hanging plant that was given to her at her retirement party. She said she really enjoys it. Also, congratulations on her retirement from teaching. We wish her the best.

Those making high honors or honors this term from this area are: THS, Tricia Hadley and Daniel Morgan; TMS, Kevin Gallagher; Caitlin Shimamura, Kara Thurlow; Chea Davis and Heather Demarest; CPS, Bailey Davis. Congratulations all.

Warren Powers called Richard Wing one evening this past week. Warren worked with Richard at MDOT-Bethel Camp for a few years. Richard was real glad to hear from him and to know how he is doing.

Several times I've seen Rosalie Poland and Elizabeth Blazier taking an early morning walk.

What fun it is watching the mother birds feeding their babies. There's a tree near my front deck and I can see them real well. The baby birds look as big or bigger than their parents.

Larry Billings, curator of the Woodstock Historical Society, reports that a visitor to the museum left a $20 donation on the Saturday Ruth Cox and Elaine Roberts were there. Five people were in. President Annella Burhnam and Mary Billings watched the museum and six people were in. Attendance and sales have both been good lately. The curator has given a book on the Appalachian Trail to the society. He has finished reading the novel, "You Must Remember This," by Joyce Carol Oates. And he recently listened to Aaron Copeland's "Third Symphony" and studied some philosophy. He also arranged a small flower show for the society over the 4th of July weekend. It ranged from old-fashioned roses to wildflowers. He received a letter from President Bush and had it framed.

Congratulations to Pete Andrews on the article about him in the Lewiston Sun. It was quite historical. Mary Billings gave a copy of it to the society.

Quote of the Week: "I've learned that a recession is a period when we have to go without things our grandparents never heard of."

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West Paris

by Miriam Inman

Vance and Connie Bacon spent 4th of July week camping at Cathedral Pines. Clyde and Sylvia Knights were there camping with them also.

Beverly and Vince Stevens were in Bar Harbor last weekend to attend a wedding. They enjoyed camping at Arcadia and the ride up Cadillac Mountain and the view from there. They also went to Campobello where it was very foggy and misty. In Eastport they visited the stone ground mustard factory and also camped at Cobscook Bay State Park camping area.

Beverly's mother, Georgia Thayer, visited with her daughter, Meriel Bunker, and family in Barrington, N.H. while Bev was gone.

Vicky Sanborn and Caroline returned to North Conway on Wednesday after staying a few days at camp in Greenwood City.

Bob and Kathy Bessette, Eric and Danny from Fairfax, Vt. are spending this week with her parents, Vance and Connie Bacon.

The Goodwill Group will gather on Monday, July 23, with Cynthia Lamb on North Pond for a potluck supper and meeting. A silent auction will take place after the meeting.

The Parisians will put on a concert at Moore Park in South Paris on Wednesday evening, July 25, at 6 p.m.

East Stoneham

by Eleanor Nelson

Hi readers. It's hard to get back on schedule after being away on vacation. We sure haven't had good beach weather the past couple of weeks.

Sharon and Nawal Traish from Arlington, Mass. were at their cottage on Lake Keewaydin this past weekend. I did visit them there Saturday afternoon, and while there saw a mother duck and four little babies swim by slowly. They were checking people out along the shore I guess. They were awfully cute and she was looking right after them.

The church thrift and bake sale did very well Saturday. We get different things every week. Come on in and see. We usually have brownies, cookies, pies, etc. on the bake table and nice sweaters, shirts, household items on thrift tables. And don't forget the church public supper on Thursday, July 19, from 5 to 6:30 p.m. This includes beans, brown breads, rolls, casseroles, salads and pies, etc. Come on over.

Callers at Dick and Marilyn Jones' recently were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Anderson of Falmouth and Mr. and Mrs. James Farley of Bernard.

Paul and Dot Barker Morency were in the area from Florida and visiting family and friends for a couple weeks. They used to live here in East Stoneham.

Five members of the Stoneham Church met at the church vestry for the regular meeting on Wednesday night at 7 p.m. President Sharon McAllister opened the meeting. Secretary Marilyn Jones's report was read and accepted. Albert Nelson Jr. keeps the lawn mowed and Jean Littlefield donated a refrigerator for them to use. The sign out front needs to be fixed. Also the rail by the side entry to the vestry needs to have some carpenter work done to make it steadier. Any volunteers?

Matthew Nelson has employment this summer at the Lovell Center Store.

Loretta Andrews is still recovering from leg surgery and is at her mother's, Althea Sawyer's in Fryeburg. Everett Andrews and Darlene Dunn are tending things at home for her.

If you want some nice fresh vegetables, the stand at the East Waterford turn has some good ones. I believe that Mr. and Mrs. Richard Briggs from Greenwood Road are the ones who run this.

Don't forget, members of Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War Hannah F. Richardson Tent 19 meeting and cookout at 6 p.m. on Thursday, July 26. See you there.

MOCK RESCUE
Tri-Town Rescue sponsored an Auto Wreck Extrication and Disentanglement exercise Sunday at the sand pit in Sumner. The instructor was Mike Joyce, a paramedic and volunteer with Falmouth Fire and Rescue and United Ambulance Service of Maine. Here, rescue personnel Robert Towle Sr. and Tri-Town Rescue's Norm St. Pierre remove "victim" Lori Callingswood from a vehicle.
(Photo by Bertha DeHaas)

West Paris

by Bertha DeHaas

Your reporter spent a very educational day on Sunday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Auto Wreck Extrication and Disentanglement exercises sponsored by Tri-Town Rescue and held by the sand pit in Sumner. The instructor for the day was Mike Joyce, a paramedic and volunteer for Falmouth Fire and Rescue and United Ambulance Service of Maine.

When "extrication" is spoken of it means that the person or persons are removed from inside the vehicle. When "disentanglement" is used, that means the vehicle must very carefully be removed from around the patients or victims trapped inside.

The training teaches the emergency personnel responding to accidents safety for the patient and scene safety so that the patient is not injured further as they are moved from vehicle to ambulance and sometimes even to the Life Flyte helicopter.

All of the emergency medical service people took part in the exercises by doing their individual services on simulated patients with bandages, splints, collars, straps and backboards, as the situation demanded.

All of the emergency fire and rescue people present had the chance to try each tool, such as the hand tools as well as the Jaws of Life and the Power Hawk 12-volt (battery operated) unit called the Sawzall. The Jaws of Life unit by Hurst works off a gasoline generator; the Turner Fire Department just acquired this tool and Canton Fire Department has had the Sawzall for about two years. West Paris Fire Department has all the cribbing for stabilization on their truck and has put in a Sawzall. Most of the trucks are equipped with an electric generator.

The fire department can use hoses folded over double and full of water to raise a vehicle eight to 12 inches in order to put the cribbing underneath and open the doors to get a victim in a rollover (upturned vehicle). A roof can be taken off with a hacksaw, screwdriver and hammer if nothing else is available. Trauma shears (sewing kit scissors with the curved blades) can be used to cut the seatbelts to release victims.

One can make up a simple kit for $5 to $10, and it can go as high as $18,000 to $20,000 for complete, sophisticated equipment for rescues.

The ladies who played the "victims" and "patients" for the day were Lori Collingswood, Heather Theofrasteau, Erynn Collins and Alexandria Taylor-Kemp.

The first emergency personnel on scene must try to put patients in a collar, check for pain and injuries and put on special mobilization, Kendric Extrication Device, to protect from spinal injuries or paralysis. Then one moves the patient in three or four easy stages from the vehicle to the stretcher, strapped securely to the backboard with three or four straps from forehead to feet. Use blocks on each side of the head for stabilization. Carefully put the victim into an ambulance or Life Flyte helicopter and transport to the hospital. Attendants must wear rubber gloves at all times.

Thanks go to Bill Coolidge for six cars he towed over and to Clifford Lowe for one car towed over. They donated these cars for the training session.

From the Bethel Senior Citizens

The Bethel Senior Citizens Club met July 11 at the Rebel Family Restaurant for their meeting and dinner, with 43 members present.

President Ginny Walker led the salute to the flag and conducted the meeting. Reports were given by Jane Hosterman and Arlene Lowell. The raffle, which was a ceramic pitcher, was won by Jean Hutchins and the door prize was won by Eunice Powell.

The speaker was Kevin Concannon from DHS, who spoke on prescription drugs and what is being done to help the elderly.

The next meeting will be the picnic at Powell's Stony Brook Campground in Hanover on Aug. 8. Members will bring salad or dessert. The meeting will start at 11:30 a.m.

Oct. 8 is Senior Citizen Appreciation Day, which will be held at the Bethel Inn Conference Center. All seniors are welcome.

The trip to Pemaquid Point will be Aug. 22. Meet at the Bethel Family Health Center for 8 a.m. departure. Money for the trip must be paid by Aug. 8.

July birthdays are: Joyce Bennett, Barbara Honkala, Marilyn King, Bud Paine, Nancy Kimball, Raymond Saunders, Connie Vautour, Cheryl Thibodeau, Nancy Mercer and Ginny Walker.

From the Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center

Nearly 100 people took the Sunday River Valley House Tour offered on July 14 by the Bethel Historical Society to benefit the capital campaign. Over $1,000 was realized from the proceeds for the capital campaign. Much appreciation is due all those who opened their homes to the public for the tour and to all the volunteers who served as guides, assisted with registration and publicity and prepared and served the delicious lunch. Special thanks go to Steve and Peggy Wight for opening Sunday River Inn for registration and dining and to all those who provided the outstanding floral arrangements that made the tour so special.

The next society event is Sudbury Canada Days, the annual summer festival, Aug. 10-12. Volunteers are needed on a number of fronts. Anyone willing to help should call the society office at 824-2908 or (800) 824-2910.

The annual Hall Memorial Lecture will highlight the event. Dr. Joseph Wood, provost of the University of Southern Maine, will speak on the topic, "Inventing the New England Village," on Friday evening, Aug. 10.

The society's exhibit honoring the 150th anniversary of the arrival of the railroad in this region in 1851 is attracting much attention. Hours are 1 to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Sunday through August. The model train layouts on the second floor of the Robinson House are open weekends, 1 to 4 p.m. and on weekday afternoons by chance or appointment.

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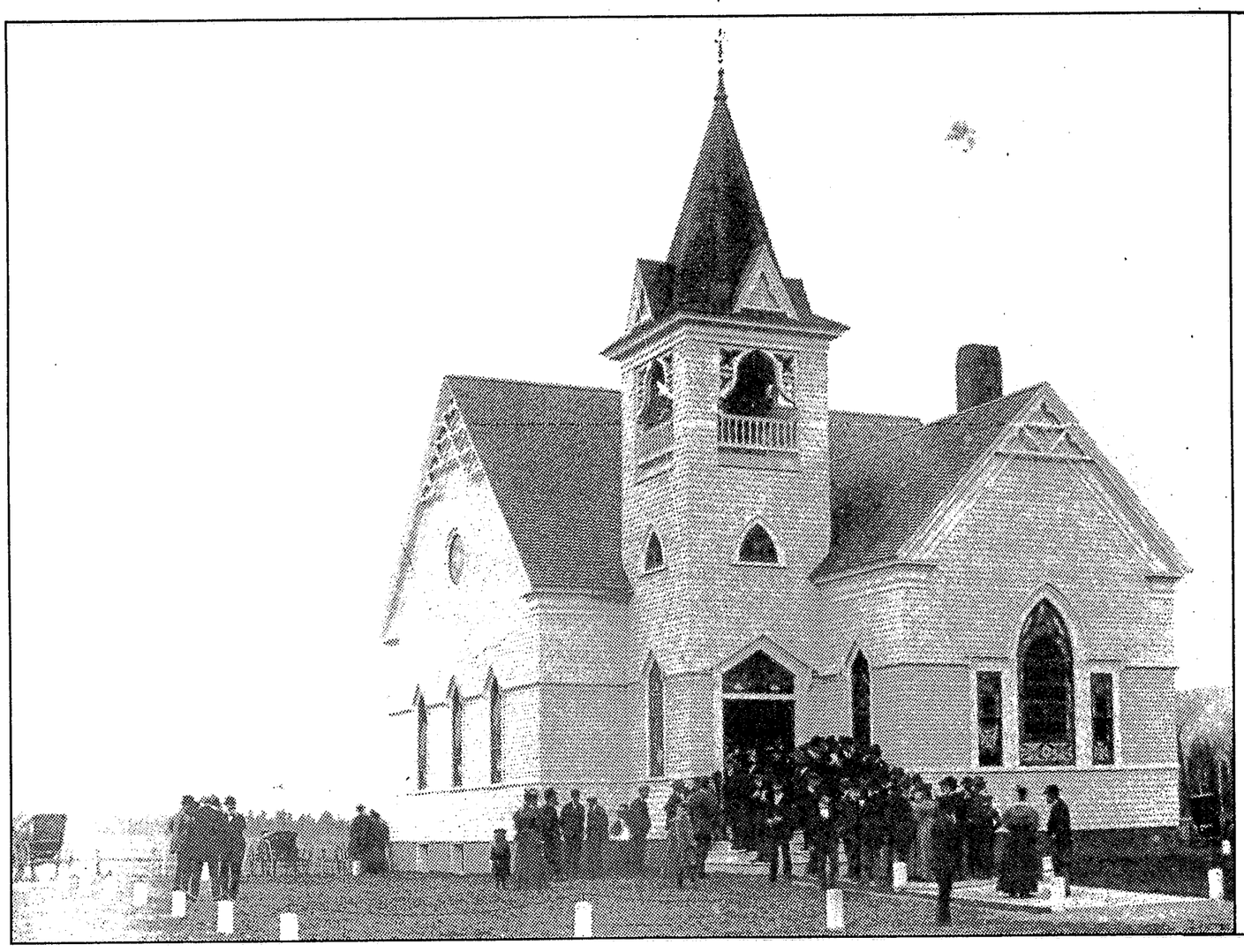

A CROWD ATTENDING THE DEDICATION OF THE WEST BETHEL UNION CHURCH on Oct. 16, 1897 stands in front of this Queen Anne structure built for the Chapel Aid Society by Alpheus S. Bean, a wealthy West Bethel businessman. This photograph is among thousands that can be found at the Bethel Historical Society, which also possesses an outstanding collection of manuscripts, books, documents, and artifacts relating to western Maine and northern New Hampshire. The society is currently raising funds to establish its Regional History Center and to renovate the 1821 O'Neil Robinson House on Broad Street, which now houses exhibit galleries, offices, and the museum shop. Completion of this project will provide for improved storage space and greater access to collections as well as rooms devoted to educational activities, genealogical and historical research, and traditional crafts. Once the center is fully operational it will offer an expanded series of lectures, special events, conferences, courses, seminars, and publications. To learn more about this project, call the society at 824-2908 or (800)-824-2910, write to the e-mail address: bethelhistory@ctel.net or visit the Web site at: www.ctel.net/~bethelhistory

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Rachel R. Stowell of West Bethel was awarded two degrees cum laude at Lyndon State College on May 20. Stowell earned both a Bachelor of Arts in communication arts and sciences and an associate of science in interactive digital media. The college conferred degrees on 215 graduates during the outdoor ceremony.

BENJAMIN. J. OTTEN

Benjamin J. Otten received a bachelor of arts degree in biology from Middlebury College on May 27.

Otten is the son of Leslie and Christine Bennett Otten of Bethel.

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Friday, July 20th

Noon - Dark: Library Book Sale

Saturday, July 21st

7:30 - 9:30am: BETHEL INN PANCAKE BREAKFAST
7:30 - 11:00am: United Methodist Church COFFEE & DONUTS SALE
Cookie Walk & Flea Market
8:00am: REGISTRATION FOR ROAD RACES at the Bethel Common
8:00am - Dark: LIBRARY BOOK SALE
8:30am: MOLLYOCKETT DAY CLASSIC ROAD RACE (*Children's start time*)
9:00am: ADULT (*Runners & Walkers*) start time for ROAD RACE
9:00am: BETHEL FARMERS MARKET, Bethel Family Health Center
9:00am - 10:00am: "A WORK IN PROGRESS" CAST Theater Performance at Odeon Hall
9:00am - 2:00pm: Telstar High School CAR SHOW AT TELSTAR
11:00am - Noon: PARADE "Let the Good Times Roll"
11:00am - 2:00pm: CHICKEN BBQ AND COMPUTERIZED FIRE FIGHTER TRAINING SIMULATION, Bethel Fire Station
11:30am - 1:30pm: REGISTRATION & CHECK-IN FOR NORTH AMERICAN WIFE CARRYING CHAMPIONSHIP at Sunday River in Welcome Concourse at South Ridge Base Area, Sunday River Ski Resort
Noon: PARADE ANNOUNCEMENTS; CROWNING OF PRINCESS MOLLYOCKETT at the Gazebo
12:30 - 1:30pm: GAZEBO ENTERTAINMENT; Sue Sheriff & friends
12:30pm - 4:30pm: THE TIN FOIL WIZARD, Arts for Kids
1:00pm: BED RACE; Tri Town & Bethel Rescue
1:00pm: BRIDGET'S SCHOOL OF DANCE, Bethel Fire Station
1:30 - 2:30pm: GAZEBO ENTERTAINMENT; Mahoosuc Music Makers
1:30 - 2:30pm: Stan Howe's Lawn; Bethel Family Health Center's 19th ANNUAL FROG JUMPING CONTEST
2:00 - 4:00pm: NORTH AMERICAN WIFE-CARRYING CHAMPIONSHIPS at South Ridge Base Lodge at Sunday River Ski Resort
2:30 - 3:30pm: GAZEBO ENTERTAINMENT; Sam Chapman
4:00 - 5:30pm: GAZEBO ENTERTAINMENT; Down Home Bluegrass
4:30 - 5:30pm: Registration for Fiddler's Contest
5:00pm: DUCK RACE at the Artist's Covered Bridge on the Sunday River
5:30 - 7:00pm: FIDDLER'S CONTEST
7:30 - 9:00pm: GAZEBO ENTERTAINMENT
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Sunday, July 22nd

9:00am - Noon: LIBRARY BOOK SALE

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THURSDAY EVENING JULY 19, 2001

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Frasier	Frasier	WWF Smackdown!				Ent. Tonight	Mad	Arrest	Arrest
(32)	Major League Baseball: New York Yankees at Detroit Tigers						Scariest Places on Earth		700 Club	
6	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Friends	Spy TV	Will-Grace	Just Shoot	ER		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Whose?	Whose?	Be a Millionaire		Primetime Thursday		News	
10	News-Lehrer		Maine.	Made In	Live From Lincoln Center			Mystery!		Crown
(22)	Golf: British Open -- First Round						Baseball Tonight		Sportscenter	
(34)	Martial Law		Miami Vice		Movie: "Rolling Thunder"				Martial Law	
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Big Brother		CSI: Crime Scn		48 Hours		News	
(41)	See This	NASCAR	See This	Last Word	Beyond the Glory		Sports	Sports	See This	Last Word
(15)	Big Trouble		Real Sports		Movie: "Blue Streak"			Blue Streak	Sex Bytes 2.5	
(17)	Movie: "Treehouse Hostage"		Movie: "The Borrowers"					Movie: "The Great Outdoors"		
(18)	"Postmortem" Cont'd		Movie: "X-Men"				Movie: "Red Rock West"			
(20)	Boating	Divers	Outdoors	Outdoors	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews
(44)	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "The Spree"				Golden	Golden
(5)	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Movie: "Cliffhanger"				Movie: "Rocky IV"			
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Spongeb	U Pick	Strokes	Strokes	Strokes	Strokes	Strokes	Strokes
(25)	Three Stooges		Movie: "The Longest Day"						Movie: "Rear Window"	
(26)	JAG		Nash Bridges		Movie: "Boomerang"				Martin	Martin
(27)	Law & Order		Biography		Poirot		Hunt		Law & Order	
(12)	Fam. Mat.	Suddenly	Major League Baseball: Cleveland Indians at Chicago White Sox						News	Darkside
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Wolf Blitzer	The Point	Larry King Live		Tonight	Greenfield	Sports	Moneyline

FRIDAY EVENING JULY 20, 2001

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Frasier	Frasier	Movie: "Body Count"				Ent. Tonight	Mad	Arrest	Arrest
(32)	Step-Step	State	World's Wildest Magic		Scariest Places on Earth		Exploring the Unknown		700 Club	
6	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Mysterious Ways		Dateline		Law & Order		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Funniest Home Videos		Be a Millionaire		20/20		News	
10	News-Lehrer		Wash Wk	Wall St.	Keeping Up	Keeping Up	Time Goes	Served	Egg	Egg
(22)	Golf: British Open -- Second Round						Baseball Tonight		Sportscenter	
(34)	Martial Law		Miami Vice		Bull Riding		Monster Jam		Martial Law	
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Diagnosis Murder		That's Life		48 Hours		News	
(41)	Baseball	See This	NASCAR	Last Word	Beyond the Glory		Sports	Sports	See This	Last Word
(15)	"One Hell of a Guy"		Movie: "Chill Factor"			Movie: "Storm Catcher"				Dennis M.
(17)	Even	Movie: "Horse Sense"			Movie: "Model Behavior"				BugJuice	Princess
(18)	"Where the Heart Is"		Movie: "Cyborg 2: Glass Shadow"			Delusions	Movie: "The Patriot"			
(20)	Golf	Red Sox	Major League Baseball: Boston Red Sox at Chicago White Sox						ESPNews	ESPNews
(44)	Latin DanceSport		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "The Perfect Daughter"				"Graduation Week"	
(5)	Fresh Pr.	Major League Baseball: Montreal Expos at Atlanta Braves						Movie: "House Arrest"		
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Rugrats	Oddparents	Invader Zim	Rocket	3's Co.	3's Co.	All in Family	'n Family
(25)	Three Stooges		Movie: "Back to Bataan"				Cinema	Movie: "The Abominable Dr. Phibes"		
(26)	JAG		Nash Bridges		Movie: "Major Payne"				"Can't Hardly Wait"	
(27)	Law & Order		Biography		Movie: "S.O.B."					Newsradio
(12)	Fam. Mat.	Suddenly	Movie: "Telefon"				News		In the Heat of the Night	
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Wolf Blitzer	The Point	Larry King Live		Tonight	Greenfield	Sports	Moneyline

SATURDAY EVENING JULY 21, 2001

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Nash Bridges		Movie: "Groundhog Day"				Entertainment Tonight		Maximum Exposure	
(32)	"A Cool, Dry Place"		State	State	Movie: "Dances With Wolves"					
6	Maine	Seinfeld	Top Gun	Movie: "Top Gun"					News	Sat. Night
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Best Commercials-Never		Movie: "Kingpin"				News	Pretender
10	Made In	Opinion	Evening at Pops		Antiques Roadshow		National Geographic		Red Green	Robot Wars
(22)	Dan Marino		Auto Racing: IRL -- Harrah's Indy 200				Baseball Tonight		Sportscenter	
(34)	Bull Riding		Backstage	Grand Opry	Auto Racing: ASA Challenge Series					Backstage
13	Entertainment Tonight		Big Brother		Walker, Texas Ranger		District		News	
(41)	Beyond the Glory		Beyond the Glory		Baseball	Baseball	Sports	Sports	Beyond the Glory	
(15)	Battlefield	Movie: "The Road to El Dorado"			Boxing: WCB Doubleheader					Sex &City
(17)	Even	Movie: "Super Mario Bros."				Movie: "Jett Jackson: The Movie"			BugJuice	Heartbeat
(18)	"The Beach" Cont'd		Movie: "Vampire in Brooklyn"				Movie: "Money Train"			
(20)	Minor League Baseball: Syracuse at Pawtucket				ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews
(44)	"Deadly Appearances"		Movie: "Deadly Pursuits"				Beyond Chance		"Death of a Cheerleader"	
(5)	"The Presidio" Cont'd		Movie: "Good Morning, Vietnam"					City Slickers II-Curly's Gold		
(24)	Oddparents	Oddparents	Rugrats: All Growed Up		Rugrats	Garcia	Brady	Brady	All in Family	All in Family
(25)	"Send Me No Flowers"		Movie: "An Officer and a Gentleman"				Movie: "One Million Years B.C."			
(26)	Movie: "Holy Man"				Movie: "Beverly Hills Cop III"				Movie: "House Party 2"	
(27)	Behind Closed Doors		Biography		Movie: "Inspector Morse: Who Killed Harry Field?"				Poirot	
(12)	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Houston Astros						News	Final Count.
(39)	Capital Gang		Tonight	Take 5	Larry King Weekend		Tonight	Capital	Sports Tonight	

SUNDAY EVENING JULY 22, 2001

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	"Portrait of a Killer"		Movie: "The Fisher King"						Star Trek: Voyager	
(32)	Movie: "That Thing You Do!"					Movie: "Nothing in Common"				
6	Fear Factor		Weak Link	Movie: "Night Falls on Manhattan"					News	Big Break
8	Movie: "Homeward Bound II: Lost in San Francisco				Be a Millionaire		Practice		News	Pretender
10	Ballykissangel		Nature		Movie: "Mrs. Brown"				Mystery!	
(22)	Baseball Tonight		Major League Baseball: Los Angeles Dodgers at Colorado Rockies						Sportscenter	
(34)	Outdoors	Outdoor	Remington	Hunting	Championship Bull Riding			In-Fish	Bill Dance	ClassicCar
13	60 Minutes		Touched by an Angel		Movie: "Going Home"				News	
(41)	Boxing: Boxers TBA		Beyond the Glory		NASCAR Victory Lane		Sports	National Sports Report		Last Word
(15)	Movie: "Never Been Kissed"				Sex & City	Six Feet Under		Arliss	"The Perfect Storm"	
(17)	Even	Lizzie	BoyWorld	BugJuice	Movie: "The Color of Friendship"			Even	BugJuice	Heartbeat
(18)	Movie: "The Hand" Cont'd			Movie: "Drive Me Crazy"			Movie: "28 Days"			
(20)	Major League Baseball: Red Sox at White Sox				ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews
(44)	"Dangerous Child"		Strong Medicine		Division		Any Day Now		"A Dangerous Affair"	
(5)	Father of the Bride Part II		Movie: "When Harry Met Sally"				Movie: "When Harry Met Sally"			
(24)	Taina	Ginger	Rugrats: All Growed Up		Griffith	Griffith	Griffith	Griffith	Griffith	Griffith
(25)	Sea Chase	Lot	Movie: "Silver Streak"				Screen	Movie: "The Two Jakes"		
(26)	Movie: "Backdraft"						Huntress		Law & Order	
(27)	100 Centre Street		Law & Order		Boxing: In and Out of the Ring				Crime Story	
(12)	Xena: Warrior Princess		Andromeda		Earth: Final Conflict		News	Replay	In the Heat of the Night	
(39)	Late Edition		Tonight	People	Larry King Live		CNN Presents		Sports Tonight	

MONDAY EVENING JULY 23, 2001

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Frasier	Frasier	Moesha	Hughleys	Parkers	Girlfriends	Ent. Tonight	Mad	Arrest	Arrest
(32)	Step-Step	Step-Step	Danger. Magic		State	State	Freaks and Geeks		700 Club	
6	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Fear Factor		Weakest Link		Dateline		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Downtown		Movie: "The Edge"				News	
10	News-Lehrer		Antiques Roadshow		Chasing the Sun		Fei Hu-Flying Tigers		News-Lehrer	
(22)	Casey Stengel		WNBA Basketball: Comets at Lynx				Baseball Tonight		Sportscenter	
(34)	Miami Vice		Miami Vice		WWF Raw		WWF War Zone		Bull Riding	
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	King	Yes, Dear	Raymond	Becker	48 Hours		News	
(41)	Baseball	See This	Beyond the Glory		Best Damn Sports Show		Sports	Sports	See This	Last Word
(15)	Bill Russell		Movie: "What Planet Are You From?"			Planet	Movie: "Active Stealth"			
(17)	Movie: "Phantom of the Megaplex"			Movie: "Airborne"					Movie: "Not Quite Human II"	
(18)	"The Jerky Boys" Cont'd		Movie: "Road Trip"				White Face	Movie: "Chain of Command"		
(20)	Boating	Divers	Outdoors	Outdoors	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews
(44)	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "When He Didn't Come Home"				Golden	Golden
(5)	Fresh Pr.	Major League Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Atlanta Braves						Movie: "Lethal Weapon"		
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Spongeb	U Pick	I Love Lucy	I Love Lucy	I Love Lucy	I Love Lucy	I Love Lucy	I Love Lucy
(25)	Three Stooges		Movie: "The Out-of-Towners"				Backstory	Movie: "Zulu"		
(26)	JAG		Nash Bridges		Movie: "The Siege"					Martin
(27)	Law & Order		Biography		Crime Story		Investigative Reports		Law & Order	
(12)	Fam. Mat.	Suddenly	Movie: "Newsies"				News		In the Heat of the Night	
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Wolf Blitzer	The Point	Larry King Live		Tonight	Greenfield	Sports	Moneyline

TUESDAY EVENING JULY 24, 2001

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Frasier	Frasier	7 Days		7 Days		Ent. Tonight	Mad	Arrest	Arrest
(32)	Step-Step	Step-Step	Bee Gees in Concert				Early Edition		700 Club	
6	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Spy TV	Downer	Frasier	Sisters	Dateline		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Be a Millionaire		Dharma	Dharma	NYPD Blue		News	
10	News-Lehrer		Secrets of the Dead		Nova		P.O.V.		To Contrary	School
(22)	Drill	Drill	Strongman	Strongman	Bike Stunt Tour		Baseball Tonight		Sportscenter	
(34)	Martial Law		Miami Vice		Movie: "Star Trek: The Motion Picture"					
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Big Brother		JAG		Judging Amy		News	
(41)	See This	NASCAR	Beyond the Glory		Best Damn Sports Show		Sports	Sports	See This	Last Word
(15)	"Prelude to a Kiss"		Movie: "The Road to El Dorado"			Movie: "Under Pressure"			Sex & City	Six Feet
(17)	Movie: "Brink!"			Movie: "The Thirteenth Year"				Movie: "Kidz in the Wood"		
(18)	"One Man's Hero" Cont'd		Movie: "Jagged Edge"				Movie: "Girl, Interrupted"			
(20)	Major League Baseball: Toronto Blue Jays at Boston Red Sox						ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews
(44)	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "Her Married Lover"				Golden	Golden
(5)	Fresh Pr.	Major League Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Atlanta Braves						Movie: "Deliverance"		
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Spongeb	U Pick	3's Co.	3's Co.	3's Co.	3's Co.	3's Co.	3's Co.
(25)	Three Stooges		Movie: "Stagecoach"			Movie: "A Man Called Peter"				
(26)	JAG		Nash Bridges		Movie: "Trapped"				Movie: "Trapped"	
(27)	Law & Order		Biography		Investigative Reports		Investigative Reports		Law & Order	
(12)	Fam. Mat.	Suddenly	Major League Baseball: Pittsburgh Pirates at Chicago Cubs						News	Darkside
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Wolf Blitzer	The Point	Larry King Live		Tonight	Greenfield	Sports	Moneyline

WEDNESDAY EVENING JULY 25, 2001

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Frasier	Frasier	Star Trek: Voyager		Star Trek: Voyager		Ent. Tonight	Mad	Arrest	Arrest
(32)	Step-Step	Step-Step	Tina Turner: Wildest Dreams Concert				State	State	700 Club	
6	Hollywood	Seinfeld	Ed		West Wing		Law & Order		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	My Wife	My Wife	Drew Carey	Spin City	Vanished		News	
10	News-Lehrer		National Geographic		Quest: Maine		Roman Empire in the First Century: Change/Eruption			
(22)	Major League Baseball: Teams to Be Announced						Baseball Tonight		Sportscenter	
(34)	Martial Law		Miami Vice		Movie: "The Naked Gun"				Martial Law	
13	Friends	Ent. Tonight	60 Minutes II		Movie: "Replacing Dad"				News	
(41)	See This	NASCAR	Beyond the Glory		Best Damn Sports Show		Sports	Sports	See This	Last Word
(15)	Poltergeist	Movie: "The Enemy Within"			Six Feet Under		Sex & City	Arliss	"The Perfect Storm"	
(17)	Movie: "It Nearly Wasn't Christmas"			"The Ultimate Christmas Present"			Movie: "The Christmas Visitor"			
(18)	Movie: "Legacy"			Movie: "House on Haunted Hill"			Movie: "28 Days"			
(20)	Major League Baseball: Toronto Blue Jays at Boston Red Sox						ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews	ESPNews
(44)	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "Dangerous Child"				Golden	Golden
(5)	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Ripley's Believe It or Not!		Movie: "Joe Versus the Volcano"				Ripley's Believe It or Not!	
(24)	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Spongeb	U Pick	Brady	Brady	Brady	Brady	Brady	Brady
(25)	Three Stooges		Movie: "Flying Tigers"				Movie: "The Gunfighter"			Battle
(26)	JAG		Nash Bridges		Movie: "Invasion U.S.A."				Martin	Martin
(27)	Law & Order		Biography		American Justice		City Confidential		Law & Order	
(12)	Fam. Mat.	Suddenly	Movie: "Past Midnight"				News		In the Heat of the Night	
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Wolf Blitzer	The Point	Larry King Live		Tonight	Greenfield	Sports	Moneyline

Channel 4 Viewers Guide

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Tri Town Ambulance Emergency Rescue Service Inc., has applied for funding for an ambulance through the USDA. If anyone has any questions, please attend the meeting being held on

July 26, 2001
at 7 p.m.
West Paris Town Office

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Planning Board of the Town of Bethel will hold consecutive public hearings on the following:

SITE PLAN APPLICATIONS

1) "Angevine Park" proposal to construct a public swimming pond; North Road - Map 011, Lot 068.

2) "Bethel Station Apartments" Community Concepts proposal to construct a 12 unit building on Parcel "H" of Bethel Station - Map 125, Lot 239-1

PUBLIC HEARING

Wednesday, August 1, 2001
at Crescent Park School
Cafeteria • 6:30 pm

PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to Title 28 MRSA 252 -- a notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held on August 6, 2001 at the Bethel Town Office to consider a Liquor License renewal from The Victoria located on Main Street, and a Liquor License Application from Gideon Hastings House Bed and Breakfast located on Broad Street. Public comment will be heard at that time. Prior to the hearing date written comment may be issued to the Bethel Town Office.

Christen Mason, Town Clerk

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Environmental Protection will accept public comment pursuant to the Department of Environmental Protection's Administrative Regulations to receive public comment on the application of the Central Maine Power Company for a permit modification under the Site Location of Development Act and the Natural Resources Protection Act. The applicant proposes to modify buffer requirements for maintenance purposes on an existing transmission line between Harrison and Rumford, Maine. Comments will be accepted until August 17, 2001. Written comments can be submitted to the Board at 17 State House Station, Augusta, Maine 04333. It is anticipated that the Board of Environmental Protection will consider this application on September 20, 2001 in Augusta, Maine. At that time, comments may be expressed orally before the Board. The application and other relevant materials may be examined at the Department of Environmental Protection's Office located on Hospital Street, Augusta, Maine during normal business hours. PLEASE NOTE: the Department cannot accept faxes as a substitute for the filing of an original document. Any questions regarding this matter may be directed to Lisa-Kay Keen at (207) 287-7875.

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Events Calendar

Public Computer Access – The SAD44 Public Access Computer Lab is located at the Adult Learning Center, Philbrook Street, Bethel. The lab is open for public use by adults during the times listed, at no charge. All lab users must abide by the SAD44 Acceptable Use Policy and the rules posted in the lab. Regular Hours: Tuesday and Wednesday mornings from 9 a.m. to noon; Tuesday evenings from 4:30 to 8:30 p.m. from June 26 to Aug. 8, with the exception of July 4. The Learning Center lab will be closed during the weeks of June 18, Aug. 13 and 20. The Adult Education office at Telstar maintains a public access computer at the Telstar ITV site Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Seniors Lunch every Tuesday and Thursday, 11:30 a.m., at Bethel Methodist Church, Main Street, sponsored by SeniorsPlus. Donation for 60 and older and spouses, $2.50; all other guests, $4. Come alone or bring a friend. Reservations are important. For information, menus, reservations, call 824-3168 (also the number to call to apply for Meals on Wheels).

Thursday Pie Sales at Bethel Methodist Church beginning at noon.

Thursday, July 19

5 to 6:30 p.m. – Public Supper at East Stoneham Congregational Church. $6 for adults and $3 for children.

7 p.m. – **"A Taste of the White Mountains"** with Carol Felice, a free program at Dolly Copp Campground Visitor Center, off Route 16 south of Gorham, N.H., sponsored by White Mountain Interpretive Association and the White Mountain National Forest's Summer of Discovery Campground Talks. For more information, call (603) 466-2713.

8 p.m. – **Deertrees Theatre, Harrison, will feature The Manchester Brass Quintet** in concert. Tickets: $12, available at Books and Things, Bethel; Bridgton Books; the Pick-A-Lily Emporium, Norway; and Deertrees box office (583-6747).

Friday, July 20

5 to 6:30 p.m. – **Benefit Supper at Albany Church,** Hunts Corner, for two-year-old Shania Swan, who is in a full body cast. Donations appreciated. Raffles. Door Prize. For more information, call 824-2819 or 583-6778.

8 p.m. – **"Inanna, Sisters in Rhythm,"** African percussion and vocal ensemble, will be featured at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison. Tickets: $12 for adults, $8 for students available at books and Things, Bethel; Bridgton Books; the Pick-A-Lily Emporium, Norway; and Deertrees box office (583-6747).

Saturday, July 21

Mollyockett Day celebration sponsored by Mahoosuc Arts Council. Theme: "Let the Good Times Roll." Annual parade, Princess Mollyockett, races, arts and crafts, entertainment, food, frog jumping, fiddling, 2nd North American Wife Carrying Championships, fireworks at dusk. For more information, call 824-3575.

9 a.m. – **"Works in Progress Showcase" performance for the public will be held at Odeon Hall,** Main Street, Bethel, put on by Mahoosuc Arts Council Camp for the Arts and Summer Theater. For more information, call 824-3575.

7 p.m. – **"Life History of the Common Loon in New Hampshire"** with Loon Preservation Committee, a free program at Dolly Copp Campground Visitor Center, off Route 16 south of Gorham, N.H., sponsored by White Mountain Interpretive Association and the White Mountain National Forest's Summer of Discovery Campground Talks. For more information, call (603) 466-2713.

7:30 to 8:30 a.m. (registration) – **Oxford Hills 4 Miler** sponsored by Oxford Hills Nordic Ski Team at Otisfield Community School. 9 a.m. for 4 miler ($10); 8:30 a.m. for 2-mile walk ($5) and 1-mile fun run ($5). Pre-register by July 14 (after that date will be $2 more). For more information, call Paula and Chris Easton (583-6603) or Beth Damon (539-4729).

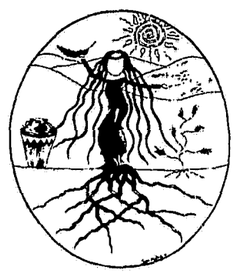
5 p.m. – **Pig Roast Supper** (roast pork, mashed potatoes, potato salad, macaroni salad, coleslaw, homemade bread, punch, pie) at Blazing Star Lodge, Rumford Corner. Adults, $6; children under 12, $3. Takeouts available. For more information, call Joseph Roy at 364-4715.

8 p.m. – **Paul Sullivan, acclaimed pianist and composer,** will perform at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison. Tickets: $12 for adults, $8 for students available at books and Things, Bethel; Bridgton Books; the Pick-A-Lily Emporium, Norway; and Deertrees box office (583-6747).

Sunday, July 22

10 a.m. to 3 p.m. – **Second annual Antique Show and Sale,** to benefit Lovell Historical Society, at Lovell Heritage Center Building and Barn on Route 5, opposite Lake Kezar Country Club. Admission: $3. Good grilled food, desserts and beverages on sale. Still room for more dealers. Co-chairpersons: Renee Dutton (207) 924-3245 or Jacky Stearns (207) 925-6838.

2 p.m. – **The Hedgehog Hill Farm, 54 Hedgehog Hill Road, Sumner, program, "Culinary Herbs,"** part of Sundays In The Garden At Two series will be see, smell and taste a number of cooking herbs, from basils to angelica, and give ideas on growing and using culinary plants. For more information call (207) 388-2341, or e-mail info@HedgehogHillFarm.com or visit the Web site at



Have a safe and happy Mollyockett Day everyone!

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4 p.m. – **"Sunday Concerts for Seniors" at Fryeburg Congregational Church,** on Main Street, presented by students of the International Musical Arts Institute at Fryeburg Academy. Free to all seniors and anyone with mobility limitation; all others, $5.

2 to 4 p.m. – **The Wilhelm Reich Museum,** Dodge Pond Road, Rangeley, will offer a program by Senior Biologist Bill Hanson, of Florida Power and Light, will conduct a program on his work with loons and the impact of man on them. Free. Rain or shine. Dress accordingly. For more information, call 864-3443.

Tuesday, July 24

5:30 to 6:30 p.m. – **Turkey Supper with all the fixings, hosted by Molly Ockett Chapter DAR** of Fryeburg. Cost: $7 for adults and $3.50 for children under 12. The Bradley Park summer series, The Mollyockett chorus of Sweet Adelines, will follow at 7 p.m.

7 p.m. – **Music of Mozart and Borodin at St. Paul's Episcopal Church,** 113 Main Street, Lancaster, N.H., performed by International Music Arts Institute students at Fryeburg Academy. For details, call (603) 788-4654.

5 to 6:30 p.m. – **Public Supper at North Waterford Church.** $6 for adults and $3 for children under 12.

Wednesday, July 25

7 to 8:30 p.m. – **Birth video presentation and discussion: Natural Birthing in Russia,** an example of Powerful Women and their babies at the Seashore House, Broad Street, Bethel. All welcome. Please RSVP to Marguerite at 824-2621.

8 p.m. – **"Wednesday Night With A Ranger" program, My Appalachian Trail** Adventure by Matthew Schomburg, at Pinkham Notch Visitor Center, Route 16, Gorham, N.H. sponsored by White Mountain National Forest. Free and open to public. For information call (603) 466-2713.

7 p.m. – **Audley Green, harpsichordist, will be in concert,** "From Baroque to Boogie-Woogie" at Unitarian-Universalist Church, Main Street, Norway. Tickets: $10 for adults, $5 for under 12 and $25 for family. Advance tickets may be purchased at reduced cost at Fare Share Market, 445 Main Street. For more information, call 743-2423.

Thursday, July 26

7 to 8:30 p.m. – **Birth video presentation and discussion: Natural Birthing in Russia,** an example of Powerful Women and their babies at the West Parish Congregational Church, Bethel. All welcome. Please RSVP to Marguerite at 824-2621.

7:30 p.m. – **Bethel Area Poets Society will meet at the Sunday River Fire Station.** All welcome. For more information, call 824-3427.

Thursday, July 26

5:30 p.m. – **Supper at Albany Congregational Church, Hunts Corner Road.** Beans, casseroles, brown bread, salads, coleslaw, pies, beverages. Adults, $6; children 12 and under, $3.

7 p.m. – **"Trees of the White Mountains" with Chris Lewey/Raven Intp.,** a free program at Dolly Copp Campground Visitor Center, off Route 16 south of Gorham, N.H., sponsored by White Mountain Interpretive Association and the White Mountain National Forest's Summer of Discovery Campground Talks. For more information, call (603) 466-2713.

Friday, July 27

7 p.m. – **"New Hampshire Naturally" by nationally known Shaw Brothers** will be featured at St. Kieran Community Center for the Arts, Berlin, N.H., sponsored by United Brotherhood Credit union. Donations for the Arts Center accepted at door. For more information, call Rosabelle Tifft at 824-2053.

Saturday, July 28

7 p.m. – **"A Visit with Dolly Copp" with Hope Crosbie,** a free program at Dolly Copp Campground Visitor Center, off Route 16 south of Gorham, N.H., sponsored by White Mountain Interpretive Association and the White Mountain National Forest's Summer of Discovery Campground Talks. For more information, call (603) 466-2713.

7:30 p.m. (doors open), 8 pm. (performance) – **Celebration Barn Theater will feature master mime Tony Montanaro** and his wife, dancer Karen Hurll Montanaro. Tickets: $10 and $8. Reservations required; call 743-8452. Location: 190 Stock Farm Road, South Paris.

July 28-29

2nd annual European Motorcycle Meet at Sunday River. Hundreds of European motorcycle enthusiasts will converge at Sunday River for a weekend of riding. Weekend festivities include a trip to a BMW motorcycle collection, a ride for charity, a barbecue at Grand Summit Resort Hotel. For more information, call (800) 543-2754 or visit the Web site www.sundayriver.com

Sunday, July 29

2 p.m. – **The Hedgehog Hill Farm, 54 Hedgehog Hill Road, Sumner, program, "Everlastings on Display,"** part of Sundays In The Garden At Two series will be a tour of the production gardens that include thousands of plants that can be air dried. Learn about harvesting and designing. For more information call (207) 388-2341, or e-mail info@HedgehogHillFarm.com or visit the Web site at www.HedgehogHillFarm.com

Thursday, Aug. 2

7 p.m. – **"Life History of the Common Loon"** with Loon Preservation Committee, a free program at Dolly Copp Campground Visitor Center, off Route 16 south of Gorham, N.H., sponsored by White Mountain Interpretive Association and the White Mountain National Forest's Summer of Discovery Campground Talks. For more information, call (603) 466-2713.

Saturday, Aug. 4

7:30 p.m. – **"Country Dancing" with Ray Hilton, a free program at Dolly Copp Campground Visitor Center,** off Route 16 south of Gorham, N.H., sponsored by White Mountain Interpretive Association and the White Mountain National Forest's Summer of Discovery Campground Talks. For more information, call (603) 466-2713.

8 a.m. – **Fourth annual Umbagog Wildlife Festival.** Live fish and wildlife presentations, Let's Go Fishing programs, guided tours, all-day arts and crafts, amateur photo contest, a build-your-own birdhouse workshop, barbecue and much more. The guided bird walk will depart Route 16 just north of the Errol dam at 8:30 a.m. For more information, call (603) 482-3415.

9 a.m. to noon – **Hike on the Wright Trail in Riley Township,** hosted by Mahoosuc Land Trust and Bethel Outing Club. All ability levels. Special guests: local forester Don Feeney, Land Trust members Lucia and Jim Owen, and Outing Club member/trail designer Mike Cooper. For more information, call Betsey Cooper at 836-3808.

Sunday, Aug. 5

9 a.m. to 3 p.m. – **Annual Smith Reunion** (descendants of Simon and Maryann McKeen Smith) at Fryeburg Fairgrounds (Aggie building), rain or shine. Other Smith lines welcome. Bring family photos, scrapbooks, and genealogy to display (carefully mark all items). Bring food for your group to be shared at potluck meal at noon. Saleable items needed for a tag sale table. For more information, call (603) 694-3623 or (207) 935-3160.

Thursday, Aug. 9

5:30 p.m. – **Supper at Albany Congregational Church,** Hunts Corner Road. Beans, casseroles, brown bread, salads, coleslaw, pies, beverages. Adults, $6; children 12 and under, $3.

Aug. 10-12

Sudbury Canada Days, the annual summer festival sponsored by the Bethel Historical Society. A highlight of the event will be the annual Hall Memorial Lecture presentation, Friday evening, on "Inventing the New England Village" by Dr. Joseph Wood, provost of the University of southern Maine. Volunteers needed. For more information or to volunteer, call 824-2908 or (800) 824-0882 or e-mail bethel history@ctel.net

Saturday, Aug. 11

10 a.m. to 4 p.m. – **Paris Cape Historical Society** will host "Home-Grown Nostalgia Antique Show," a display of locally made items. Donation: $2 for adults. Old-time sleds, toboggans, skis, wagons and much, much more. For additional information, contact Ben Conant at 743-2462 or Dennis Stires at 897-4222.

Saturday, Aug. 18

10 a.m. to 4 p.m. – **Lovell Arts and Artisans Fair,** an all-juried fair with over 60 exhibitors, at New Suncook School, Route 5, Lovell (rain or shine). Proceeds to benefit Charlotte Hobbs Memorial Library. Second-hand books, homemade sandwiches and deserts. Free admission.

Sept. 15-16

15th annual Golf Tournament at Norway Country Club and Paris Hill Country Club sponsored by Oxford Hills Chamber of Commerce. Over $30,000 in prizes. Tournament format will be 36 Hole Medal Play in both men's and women's divisions. Open to any four-person team. Registration: $75 per person or $300 per team. Registrations now being accepted at the Chamber of Commerce office (743-2281) or by stopping by the office at 213 Main Street, South Paris.

Support Services

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Rape Education and Crisis Hotline 1-800-871-7741. Sexual assault/sexual abuse hotline, same number. Support groups and awareness education, past or present victims of abuse.

Exchanges

District Exchange–Open every Monday 1-4 p.m., Thursday, 4-6 p.m. and every Saturday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Ethel Bisbee School, Bethel. Clothing on sale, food available for those in need.

Community Service Center–Supplies available for emergencies and disaster relief at Thurlow Hall, Perkins Valley Road, South Woodstock. For aid or information call 674-2663.

Abused Women's Advocacy Project

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5806; 24-hour hotline 1-800-559-2927.

Alcohol/Drug Treatment

Gateway Recovery Services–Outpatient counseling services available at Bethel Family Health Center, Mondays and Wednesdays. For info. call 207-743-7580.

Veterans' Services

(State/VA Benefits)

Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first and third Wednesday each month, 9 to 12 noon (743-6300); Rumford Employ. Sec. Bldg. (364-3718), second and fourth Thursday, 9 to 12 noon; Lewiston (795-4590), 200 Main St., 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday thru Friday. location: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15 p.m. p.m. Tel. 392-4841. (new members welcome)

Mental Illness Support Group

Beacon House Social Club, 150 Congress Street, Rumford, a drop-in social club for adults suffering with mental, emotional or physical illness, provides support, relaxation and socialization. Monday, 1 to 5 p.m., Tuesday, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.; Wednesday, 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Thursday, 3 p.m. to 8 p.m.; Friday, 2 p.m. to 7 p.m.; Saturday, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oxford County Mental Health Services, support for adults and children with mental illness same location, second floor, open Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. For more information, call 364-3549 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays or (800) 335-9999 off hours. 928-3222.

Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Tel. 392-4841.

Bethel Library: Monday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.; Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-8 p.m.; Thursday 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 1-8 p.m.; Saturday, 9-1 p.m. Story Hour for preschoolers, Thursday, 10-11 a.m. (September through May). Michelle Conroy, Librarian. 824-2520.

Cresent Park Elementary School: Open every Thursday evening from 6p.m. to 8p.m. to the Public.

Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday, 11:30-5:30; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9 p.m. Tel. 743-2980.

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Library hours: Tues., 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Wed., 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.; Thurs., 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Fri., 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.; Sat., 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 1:30-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m. 674-2004.

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August. Story

Upton Library: Saturdays 9a.m. - 11a.m

Monthly Meetings

First Sunday: Bethel Snow Twisters Club meets at Clayton Crockett's at 7 p.m. September through April.

Greenstock Snow Sports Snowmobile Club meets at the Greenwood Town Office at 9 a.m.

Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club meeting at Newry Town Office.

Second Sunday: Western Maine Mountain Trail Mixers ATV Club meets at 6:30pm at Sun Valley Sports, 129 Sunday River Road, Bethel. New members welcome.

Every Sunday: Western Mountains Meditation Group, Center for Natural Healing, 47 Pioneer Street, West Paris, 9:30 a.m. 674-3961.

Bethel Freedom Group AA meeting, 6 to 7 p.m. ST/BB at Bethel Fire Station.

First and Third Monday: Greenwood Planning Board meets at Town Office, 7 p.m.(Comprehensive Plan work will be done at the slow meetings.)

Bethel Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Newry Fire Department monthly meetings: first Monday, 7 p.m., at Sunday River Station; third Monday, 7 p.m., Bear River Station.

Franklin Grange #124, 7:00p.m., call 674-3046 or 674-3962 for more info.

Second Monday: Newry Mother's Club meets, 7:30 p.m.

Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, J. Grover Tent #17,

Ellis River Riders meet at Andover Fire Station, 7 p.m.

Second and Fourth Monday: SAD44 Board of Directors meets in Bethel, Woodstock or Andover at 7:30 p.m. Call 824-2185 for place.

Gilead Fire Department meets at the Fire Station at 7 p.m.

Every Monday: Mahoosuc Music Makers rehearsal, 7-9 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church (downstairs).

First Tuesday: Woodstock Planning Board meets at 7 p.m. at Town Office.

Upton selectmen meet at 7 p.m. at Town Office.

Western Maine Knitters Guild meets at Christ Church, Norway, 10 a.m. to noon.

First and Third Tuesday: The Greater Rumford Alliance for the Mentally Ill-Children and Adolescent Network (GRAMI-CAN) Support, education and advocacy. Meets in the former St. John's rectory from 6:30-8 p.m. in Rumford. Contact Diane at 369-0542.

The Bethel Lions Club meets at the Frank Gibson home, North Road, Bethel, at 7 p.m.

Bethel Area Promise Keepers, 7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

FACTS (Family/Friends And Consumers Together for Support) 6:30-8 p.m. at Ethel Bisbee Adult Learning Center. Contact Rhonda at 824-3076.

Greenwood selectmen meet at Town Office, 5 p.m.

Second Tuesday: Mundt-Allen Post, American Legion, meeting at 7:30 p.m. Supper starts at 6:30 p.m.

Telstar Alumni Association meets at 6:30 p.m. at the Telstar Library.

Ladies' Bible Fellowship, 7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

Third Tuesday: Pine Tree Legal Assistance at Bethel Area Health Center, starting at 10 a.m.

Every Tuesday: Bethel Rotary Club meets at The Bethel Inn, 7:30 a.m.

Andover Board of Selectmen meets at the Town office, 7 p.m.

Newry Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 9 a.m.

CrossCountry Quilters will meet at the Robinson House or Bethel Library from 9 to 11am except the last Tuesday of each month the meeting will be from 7 to 9pm.

Cub Scout Pack 566 meeting, 6 p.m., at Crescent Park School Cafeteria.

Mollyockett Chorus practice, 6:30-9 p.m. at Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Skeetfield Rd., Oxford (Call 824-2468 for info).

First Wednesday: Greenwood Historical Society meets at the Society Building, Main St., Locke Mills, 7 p.m.

Bethel Area Arachnes Spinning Group, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church. Potluck luncheon.

Second Wednesday: Gilead selectmen meet at Town Office, 7 p.m. Tax collector also holds hours.

Friends of the West Paris Library, 6:30 p.m. (new members welcome)

First and Third Wednesday: Newry Planning Board, Town Office, 7 p.m.

Second and Fourth Wednesday: Bethel Planning Board meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Fourth Wednesday: Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, H.F. Richardson Tent #19, East Stoneham, K of P Hall, 7 p.m. For more info. call 928- 2611.

Women's Fellowship, West Parish Congregational Church, Garland Chapel, Bethel, 9:30 a.m.

Jefferson Chapter, 89, OES, Bryant Pond, 6:30 p.m.; refreshments, 7:30 meeting. (Except July and Aug.)

Last Wednesday of Sept., Nov., Jan., March and May: Crescent Park School PTA, 6:30-8 p.m. Babysitting provided.

Every Wednesday: TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), 5:45-7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

First Thursday: United Methodist Women meet at the Bethel Methodist Church at 1 p.m.

Bethel Recreation Board meeting, 7 p.m. at Town Office.

Second Thursday: Board of Directors of Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce meets at Crescent Park School conference room, 7:30 a.m.

Newry Fire Auxiliary meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Bethel Lodge #97, AF & AM.

First and Third Thursday: Jackson-Silver Post, Locke Mills, 7 p.m.

West Paris Grange #298, 7:30pm. Call 674-3962 or 674-3046

Fourth Thursday: Bethel Area Poets Society Reading, 7 to 9 p.m. Call 824-3427 for more info.

Every Thursday: Andover Water District Board of Directors meets at 7 p.m.

West Paris Board of Selectmen meet at the Town Office, 6:30 p.m.

Middle and High School Youth Groups, 6:30 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

First Friday: The Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association meets at 7 p.m. at the Newry home of Norman and Eleanor Davis, 824-2844.

MS self-help group at the West Parish Congregational Church next to Gould Academy. Call Gale Tout at 836-2900 for more information. 4-6 p.m.

Third Friday: Mt. Abram Lodge, IOOF, 7:30 p.m.

Every Friday: Game Party at Jackson-Silver Post No. 68, Gore Road, Locke Mills, 6 p.m.

First Saturday: Western Maine Mountain Jeepers meet at 7 p.m. at Bethel Fire Station.

St. Andrews Society meeting, 10 a.m., Harvest House, Lisbon (business meeting with lunch).

Second Saturday: Woodstock Historical Society meets at 7 p.m. in historical society museum. Open to public.

Last Saturday: Upton Planning Board meets at 9 a.m. at the Town Office.

Seasonal only: Every Saturday : Bethel Farmers' Market, Bethel Area Health Center parking lot, 9 a.m. - 12 noon. Locally grown produce and local goods.

Items for the Community Calendar may be brought to The Bethel Citizen office, mailed in or phoned in at 824-2444. The deadline is Monday noon.

Church Services

Bethel

Bethel Alliance Church– Rev. Rick Mowery, 10:00 a.m. worship. Sunday School at 9:00 a.m. Men's and women's groups Sunday at 6:00 p.m. Home prayer groups 7:00 p.m. Wednesdays. Youth ministries 6:30 p.m. Thursday.

Church of the Nazarene–Pastor Chuck Mason, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school (2 hours, including recreation activities; call 824-4028 for transportation). 10:30 a.m. morning worship. 6 p.m. evening service. 824-4028 (voice mail) or 824-7289 for more info.

West Parish Congregational–Rev. Brendon Bass and Rev. Jean Bass, 9:30 a.m. worship. Nursery care provided. Prayer, Tues., 8 a.m.

Our Lady of the Snows– Mass–Saturday, 4:30 p.m. 743-2606. Pastor Father Maurice Lebel 743-2606.

United Methodist–Rev. Walter Brown, Pastor, 10 a.m. Sunday worship. Rainbow Church School, 3-5 p.m. Thursdays (all ages welcome).

West Bethel Union–Rev. John Williams, 9 a.m. worship and church school. For info. call 836-2844 or 836-2882.

Pleasant Valley Bible–Pastor Clifford McMullen, 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship. 836-2828.

Episcopal House Church–Third Sunday each month at the Bohrs' on 38 Chapman Street,at 4 p.m. For more information, call 824-2913.

Church of Christ–at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mill Road (Rt. 26), Bethel. Worship at 10 a.m. Sunday, Bible study at 11 a.m. 824-3577.

Mahoosuc Mountain Friends–a worship group meeting in the unprogrammed tradition of Friends (Quakers)–Sunday 9:30 a.m. at 558 E. Bethel Rd. Newcomers welcome. First Day School activities provided for children. Call Marie Hickey (875-2257) for more info.

Worldwide Church of God–10:30 a.m. first, second third (and fifth) Saturday each month. Services held in the dining hall of the West Parish Congregational Church. Contact: George Weber, 892-0779

Woodstock

Bryant Pond Baptist–Rev. Peter Laitres, Sundays: Sunday School 9:15am; Adult Bible Fellowship 9;15am; Morning Worship 10:30am; Choir Practice 4:45pm; Evening Preaching Service 6:00pm. Wednesdays: Patch the Pirate Club 6:30pm; Prayer Meeting and Bible Study 6:30pm.

Unitarian Universalist– Closed for summer. Will reopen September 9.

Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist–Pastor Richard Wright (207-797-9678), Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.

Pinhook Meeting House (Rt. 232, North Woodstock)–Hymn Sing, last Friday of each month, 7 p.m. All welcome.

Andover

First Congregational Church–Pastor Jane Rich. 10 a.m. Sunday worship service. Religious education: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15 p.m.

Calvary Congregational Church–Summer hours: Morning worship service 9:30 a.m. Wed. night, prayer meeting, 6:30 p.m. Route 5, S. Andover. 392-1121.

Gorham, N.H.

Assembly of God–Pastor Paul Levigen. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday service 10:30 a.m., Sunday evening service 7 p.m., Wednesday Bible study 7 p.m. (603-466-2851).

Locke Mills

Locke Mills Union–Rev. Deborah M. Jenks, 9 a.m. worship and Sunday school. Every Wednesday: Wednesday Cafe 8am-4pm at church. Beverages, breakfast and lunch items in a social gathering setting. Benefits church and missions.

East Stoneham

Oxford County United Parish–Rev. George Frobig, 10 a.m. worship in April, May, June, July, Aug., Sept., Oct., Nov., Dec., and Jan.

Newry

Newry Community Church–Sunday worship service, 9 a.m. Rodney H. Hanscom, pastor. (Services in the church will resume in April)

Albany

Congregational Church–Hunt's Corner, 9:30 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School; Pastor Eddie Gammon. Bible Study 6:30 Thursdays at the church.

Norway/Paris

Christian Science Society (9 Stevens St.)– Sunday Service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony Service 7:30 p.m. Call 824-4099 for info.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church– Route 117N, S. Paris, Pastor Tom Teichmann. Sunday Morning Service 9 a.m. with coffee fellowship immediately after.

North Paris Baptist–Sunday worship 10:30 a.m.

North Paris Federated Church–Sunday service, 10:30 a.m. (First Sunday of each month, Singspiration alternating between NPFC and West Paris Baptist).

North Paris Federation– 8a.m. Bruce Tyner, pastor. Prayer Meeting Thursday, 1p.m. at members' homes.

Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers)–Sunday worship 9:30 a.m., Children's program, 9:40 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris. Call 583-2780 for more information.

Rumford Point

Rumford Point Church– Sunday service, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Rev. Deborah Jenks.

West Paris

Unitarian Universalist Church of West Paris–UU Rev. Joy Gasta, 9 a.m. worship (Sept.-mid-June). 674-2365.

West Paris Baptist–Sunday Worship 9 a.m., Bruce Tyner, PastorAdult Education and Sunday School 10:15 a.m., Sunday evening worship with Bible reading 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday evening prayer meeting and Bible study, 7 p.m. (First Sunday of each month, Singspiration alternating between North Paris Federated and West Paris Baptist).

West Paris Congregational Church– Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday Worship 11 a.m.; Sunday School 10 a.m.

Sumner

East Sumner Congregational– Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday service, 9 a.m

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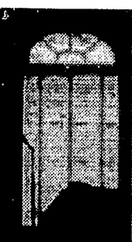

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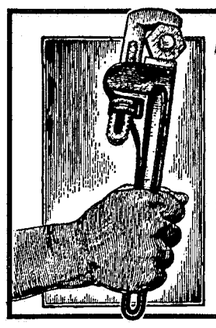

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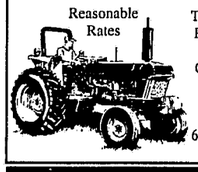
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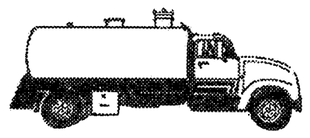
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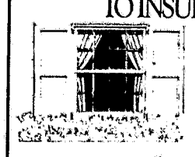
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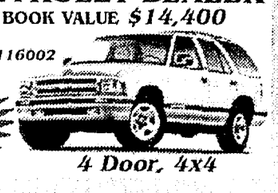

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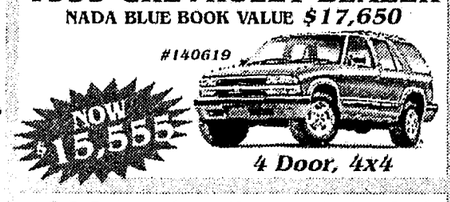

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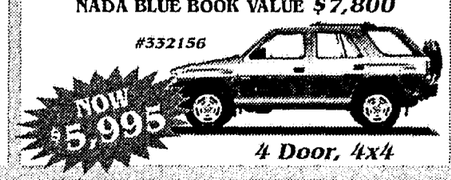

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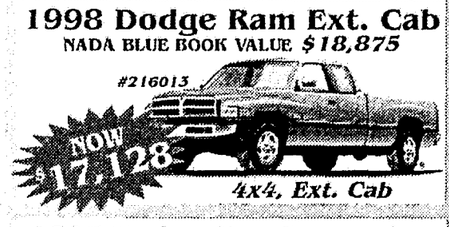

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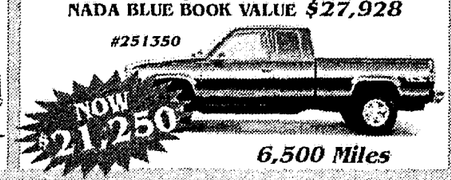

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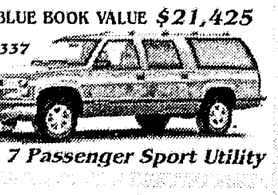

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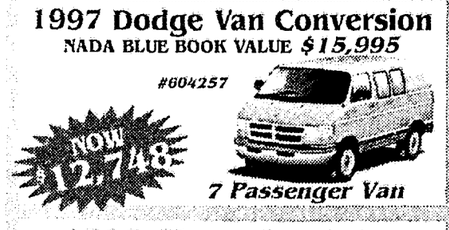

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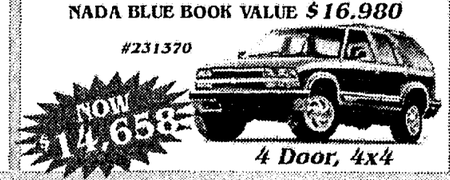

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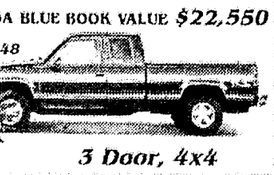

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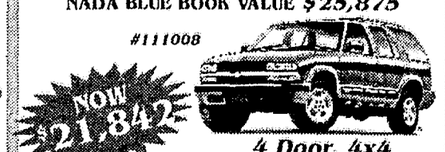

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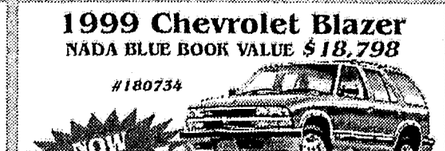

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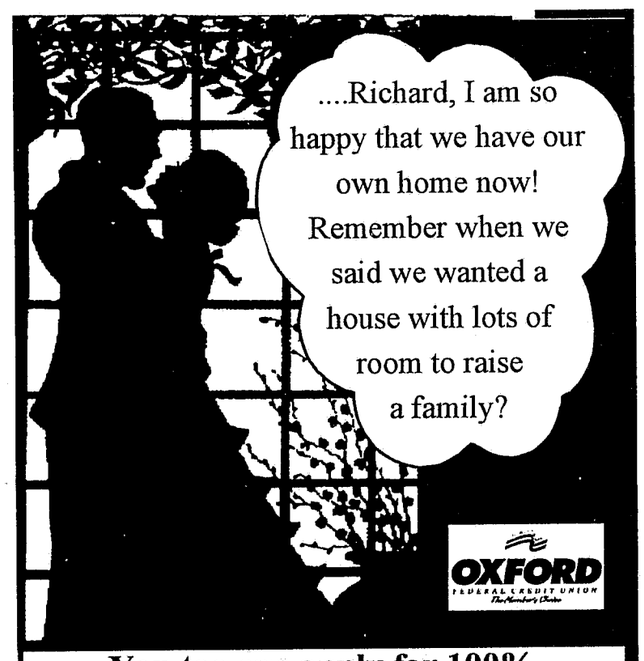

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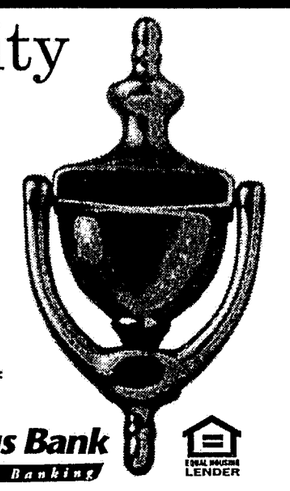

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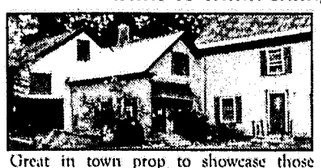
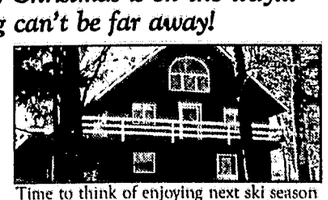
We have had 4th of July... Christmas is on the way... Time to think skiing can't be far away!



Great in town prop to showcase those Holiday items! Affords maximum visibility for new business. Prop includes 3 rental units plus a 3BR apt. A must see! $159,900.



Time to think of enjoying next ski season and the mtn from this marvelous 3 bdrm chalet. Features quality living year round. Sec. from the slopes. ~~$375,000~~ $290,000

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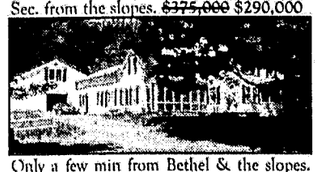
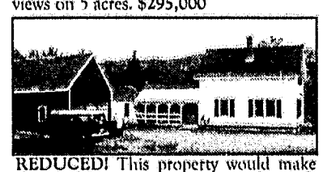
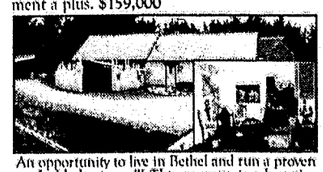


Only a few min from Bethel & the slopes. This 4 bdr village property was once the Mill Keepers home. Large barn & wonderful gardens accent this property . Only a stones throw away from the golf course. Small apartment a plus. $159,000



REDUCED! This property would make the ideal location for year round rentals for skiway personnel! 4 bedrooms and large barn on 2.8 acres a plus! A must see to appreciate! ~~$111,000~~ $105,000



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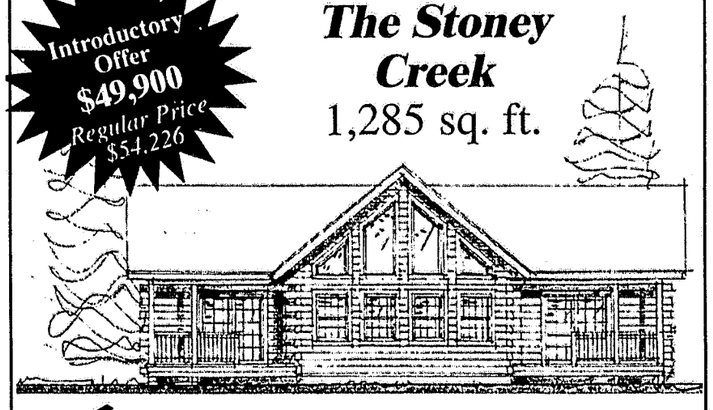

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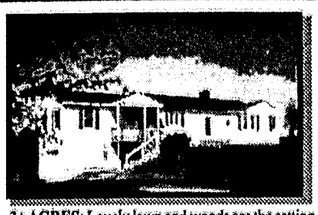
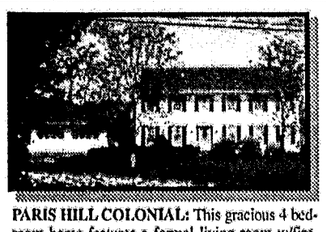


3+ ACRES: Lovely lawn and woods are the setting of the newly remodeled 3 bedroom single level home. There's a living room with fireplace, eat-in kitchen with new tile floor, 2 baths, hardwood floors, full basement with single garage, vinyl siding. Come take a look! Reduced $159,900



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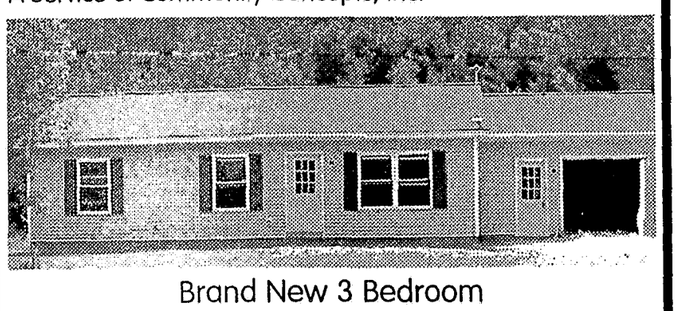

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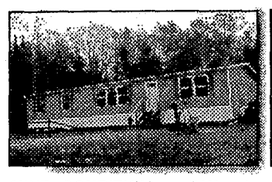
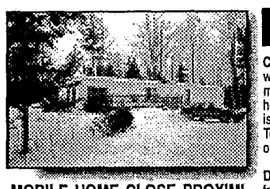


MINT CONDITION HOME: 4 Bedrooms with 2 full baths. Master bedroom with garden tub. Specious floor plan. Situated on 2.7 acres with plenty of room to roam. This well maintained mobile home is like NEW. **$119,900**

RIVERSIDE LANE, BETHEL: This Charming & comfortable 4 BR's Cape Style home is conveniently located off Rt. 2 on the way to Sunday River Ski Area, yet it's just outside of town. Includes an attached 2 car garage. **Reduced to $109,900**



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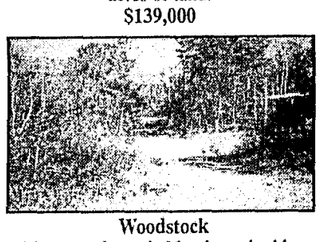

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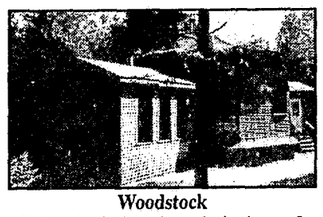
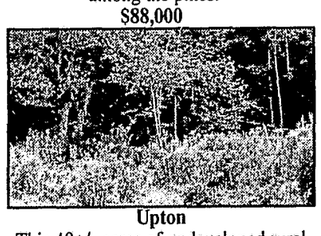


Woodstock
Uniquely designed geodesic dome: 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, loft, dining ell, fieldstone fireplace situated among the pines.
$88,000



Upton
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Nice 2+ bdrm on 3+/- ac lot on prime Androscoggin River with lots of glass, oversized garage and convenient Rumford Pt. location!
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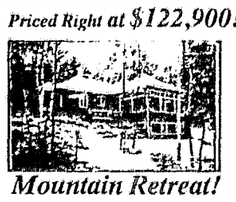

Mountain Retreat!
Majestic Grafton Notch views out most windows! Features 3,000+ sqft., 4 bdrms, 3 ba, great open floor plan! *Must see at only $299,900!*

Great Land Deals!
Prime Area Lots
Wilson Ripps - from $30,000!
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Powder Ridge Lots - from $15,000!
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Andover - 75+/- - $62,900!
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175+/- stunning, secluded acres, brook frontage, southerly exposure, grand views and more!
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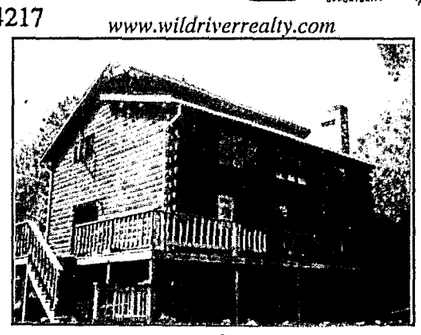


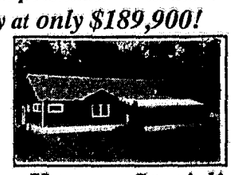
Spectacular North Pond! ***Beautiful 3+*** bedroom, 2 bath ***log home*** featuring great stone fireplace, large 2 car garage, finished basement, wrap around deck and with cherished frontage on North Pond! ***Your year- round vacation home is a GREAT Buy at only $215,000!***

Great starter in Hanover!
Meticulous 3 bedroom, 1 bath home on 2+/- acres. Perfect for a first time home buyer or retiring couple! *Offered below market at only $63,000!*

Rare Songo Pond - 4+/- acres of prime shoreland minutes from village! Traditional Maine camp, lots of glass to watch the sunsets *with great potential! Will move quickly at only $189,900!*

Bethel Cottage with 2 bdrm, choice corner lot, great landscaping, low upkeep and town utilities. ***Bethel at an "affordable" price!*** ***Only $68,900!***

Sunday Valley Acres! Nice 4+ bdrm, 2.5 ba chalet great kitchen, living room, family room on .8+/- acre lot! Prime location, easy access! ***Only $159,900!***



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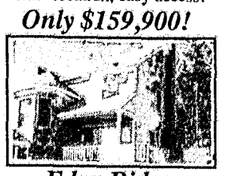
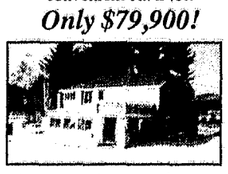
You won't believe this house! Great contemporary, quality, 3+ bdrms, 3 ba, 3+ acres, great kitchen and low Albany tax rate! ***Many extras & over 2,500 sq ft! Only $149,900!***



Eden Ridge Townhomes - Valley views, convenient in-town location, 2 bdrm, 1.75 ba, garage, fireplace and more! *From only $94,900!*



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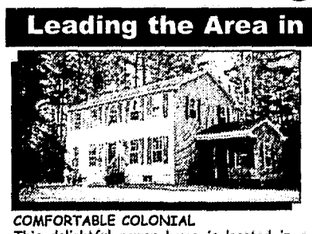
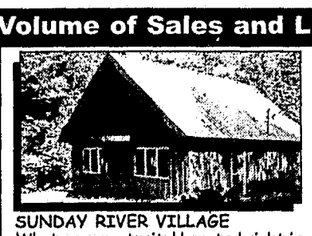


COMFORTABLE COLONIAL
This delightful newer home is located in a desirable subdivision close to the Village of Bethel. Inside, bright windows provide sunlight throughout the day. Three or four bedrooms, two full baths, a wonderfully designed mudroom, hardwood floors, all on 2.1+/-acres. Just Reduced to $160,000!



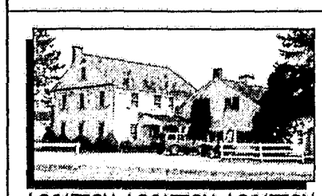
SUNDAY RIVER VILLAGE
What an opportunity! Located right in the heart of Sunday River Village, this cozy 4 bedroom home is conveniently located near the mountain. Excellent rental history and priced reasonably @ $159,000

GREAT LOCATION NEAR SUNDAY RIVER
This Property is ideally located near the ski resort. Very spacious and can accommodate a number of people or be converted into a duplex. A wonderful opportunity at a great price! $129,900

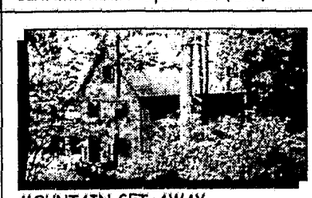
CUSHMAN HILL ROAD
Remote camp situated on 2+/- Acres of land in Woodstock. Rustic camp with mountain views and privacy. A great spot to get away from it all and relax. $18,500

TIMELESS VILLAGE PROPERTY
Located in a quiet Village neighborhood, this 4 unit offers many possibilities. Beautiful hardwood floors and woodwork, glassed-in porch, brick fireplace. Each unit has its own unique charm and appeal. Large attached barn with unlimited potential. $229,000

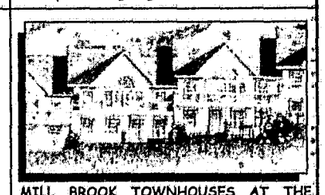
THE FARWELL HOUSE, Circa 1876
Warm & inviting Colonial that has been home to 2 families in its history. A wonderful combination of old & new. Ideally sit on the corner of Elm & Rt. 2, this home lends itself to a comfortable family residence or a variety of commercial opportunities. In-law apt, 2 car garage, barn. $249,000,



LOCATION, LOCATION, LOCATION
Spacious 4 bedroom home located on Route 2 enroute to Sunday River Ski Resort. 6.2 +/- acres of PRIME real estate. 60' x 30' barn that has been converted into living space offers unlimited possibilities. Recently Reduced to $419,000!



MOUNTAIN GET-AWAY
This 5 BR home is located in the Sunday River Village. Ideal for vacation or year round use offering 3 levels of living space, 3 baths, huge sunlit LR w/wood stove opens into a wonderful eat-in kitchen with tile & hardwood floors. Just minutes from the slopes tucked away in the tall pines. $304,000



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GORGEOUS/SPACIOUS two bedroom apartment on Main Street, Bethel with all amenities including W/D, part furnished. Parking, snow removal, garbage pick-up. Price includes heat. $650/per month. Call Pat 824-3636 29tf

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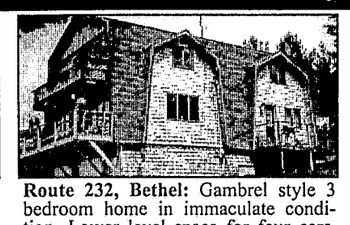
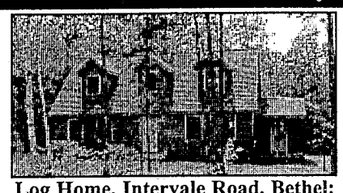
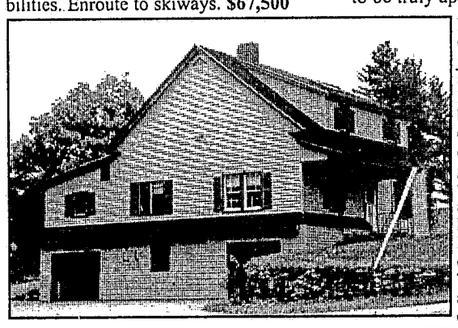
Rt. 26, Bryant Pond: Situated on a 1.6+/- acre lot/200'+/- road frontage, this home offers 5 BRs, 1½ baths, spacious living areas & attached shed. FHW oil furnace, vinyl siding, private well & septic. Highly visible glass fronted separate building offers commercial/retail possibilities. Enroute to skiways. **$67,500**



Route 232, Bethel: Gambrel style 3 bedroom home in immaculate condition. Lower level space for four cars, main level offers comfortable and attractive living space, upper level offers 3 bedrooms. Situated on 3.9+/- private acres, this home must be viewed to be truly appreciated. **$119,000**



Log Home, Intervale Road, Bethel: This new listing sits in the exclusive and secluded Taylor Woods Subdivision. It has an open floorplan for the living, dining and kitchen areas. 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, jacuzzi, mudroom, full basement. **$189,000**



Howe Hill Road, Greenwood: Located just off Rt. 26 enroute to area skiways & Bethel, this 4-5 BR, 2 bath cape offers spacious living areas w/FP, enclosed porch, 2-car garage (basement) and was formerly utilized as a residence and at-home business. Potential for the same or possibly 2-units. Take a look at this attractive & affordable offering! **$149,000**

Intervale Road, Greenwood: This great farmhouse offers endless possibilities for the imaginative person. It has 5 bedrooms, 2 baths, kitchen with pantry and also has barns and sheds for livestock, hobbies or business. Situated on 6 lovely acres of pasture with mountain views. **Reduced to $110,000**

Rumford Point: This house has a living room, large eat-in kitchen, laundry room and bath on the first floor. 2 large bedrooms on the second floor. New 8x12 shed and lots of lilacs. **Priced at $59,000**

Bethel: Conveniently located in a private neighborhood on the outskirts of Bethel Village & only minutes to Sunday River Skiway, this 3 BR Ranch home is affordably priced & ideal for a small family or couple. Full basement is partially furnished, detached 1 car garage. Well maintained. **$79,000**

House Lots & Land

Oak Hill Subdivision
Are you looking for a place to build your dream home? Look no further! OAK HILL offers privacy & spectacular views of Lake Christopher, South Pond and Mt. Abram. Immediate access to snowmobile trails, public beach and boat ramps. Ski resorts are just minutes away. Attractive owner financing available. **Lots available starting at $14,900 - $39,900.** Don't miss this chance to build the home of your dreams. **Call today for an appointment.**

Mt. Abram Ski Resort
We have a prime lot waiting for your ski chalet! Superbly located on the last corner prior to Mt. Abram slopes, this .8+/- acre lot is conveniently located to Bethel and Sunday River Ski Resort. Attractive owner financing package available. **$14,900**

New Listing - Howe Hill Road
90+/- acres, close to Mt. Abram Ski Resort. Private setting for the right price. **$49,000**

Route 26/ Walkers Mills Road
2 commercial lots, both with 200' of highly traveled road frontage. Excellent visibility, great potential. **Call for Details.**

McCrillis Brook/Bird Hill Road, Bethel
Two 5+/- acre building lots offer privacy and affordability. Conveniently located just off Gore Road, near North Pond and Routes 26/232. **$11,500 & $12,500**

Cemetery Road, Mt. Abram
Very nice 1.6 acre lot just minutes to the slopes of Mt. Abram. Convenient to area lakes and the village of Bethel. **$28,900**

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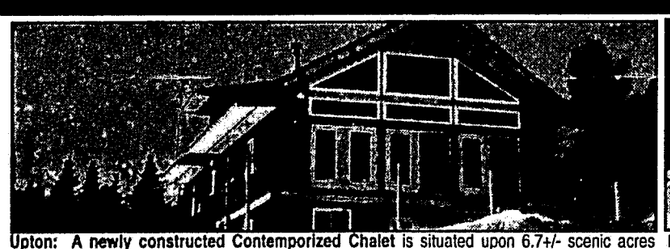
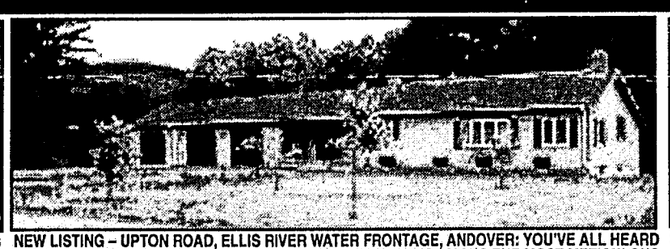
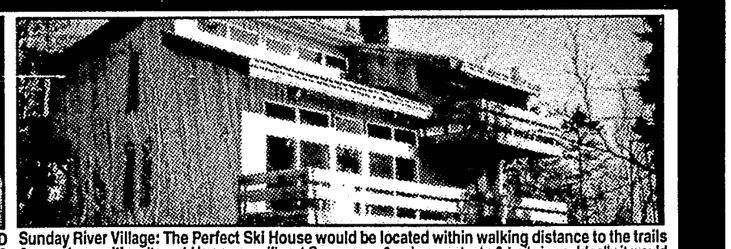


Upton: A newly constructed Contemporized Chalet is situated upon 6.7+/- scenic acres boasting magnificent mountain vistas. Only minutes to Lake Umbagog as well as Grafton Notch, the graceful lines of its eye-catching architecture boast a dazzling array of trapezoid & patio windows with glass doors. The result is a super sunny dwelling anyone would love to call HOME! A spacious Great Room with 2 Bedrooms and Full Bath comprise the main level, while a huge upper level loft area & additional Full Bath accomodate a multitute of guests. An incredible wrap-around deck is to be built prior to conveyance. Essential metal roof & oversized garage w/storage complete this picture perfect new primary or vacation home getaway. Only **$169,000!**



NEW LISTING – UPTON ROAD, ELLIS RIVER WATER FRONTAGE, ANDOVER: YOU'VE ALL HEARD THE EXPRESSION "CLEAN AS A WHISTLE", BUT THIS HOME IS AMONG THE MOST METICULOUS HOMES you've ever seen! New entry room is light tongue& groove pine & leads to an open, flowing floor plan. An abundance of Merrilat oak cabinets, center oak island & new flooring in the Kitchen merge gracefully w/a comfortable Living Room with scenic bow windows sporting views of a veritable Pine Forest. Lovely fieldstone hearth w/woodstove compliments its Oil Forced Hot Air heating system. Master Suite, great closet space, 2 additional Bedrooms, 3 Bay Garage w/workshop area, full clean Basement. A lovely, slightly sloping yard just shy of 2 acres leads to 90+/- feet of babbling Ellis River water frontage. **TRULY AN INCREDIBLE FIND AT A MOST REASONABLE PRICE... ONLY $119,000!**



Sunday River Village: The Perfect Ski House would be located within walking distance to the trails & resort amenities. It would have magnificent S exposure & enjoy great mtn & trail views. Ideally it would consist of a towering 3-story Contemp, sun-strewn w/massive windows, sliders & a multitude of decks. This modern architectural gem would be very open & spacious w/high ceilings & an impressive FP in its GR. Of course, it would include a modern Kit replete w/adjoining DR to accommodate the heartiest of après-ski gatherings. 4 BRs, all enjoying their own exterior balcony & 4 baths would be essential. Included would be a lovely master suite w/its very own FP. Its beautiful firpln would amaze & delight even the most discriminating, & its 1+/- acre setting would have to be in the most exclusive of ski resort Villages. Well, Dream No Longer for the Perfect Ski House Exists! **$389,000**

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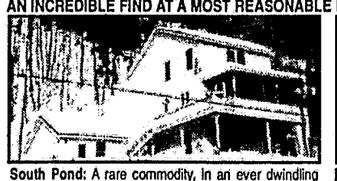
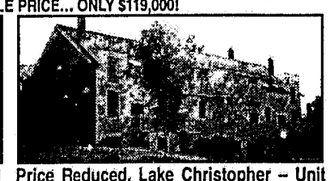
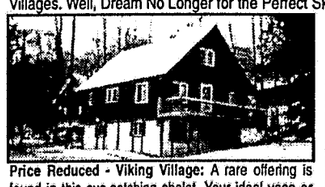


South Pond: A rare commodity, in an ever dwindling inventory of quality waterfront prop, is celebrated in this newer constructed yr md contemp. It is perched upon a hillside overlooking a serene pond & mtn backdrop, off a yr rund maintained rd. A generous GR greets family & friends incorporating fetching scenery w/an easy flowing firpln. In total, 4 BRs & 3 Baths... 2 BRs & bath are loc on the main level, expan masters quarters w/bath are loc on the upper level & a lower level 1 BR apt ensures privacy for you & your guests. **Priced at $198,000!**



Price Reduced, Lake Christopher – Unit G: A meticulously maintained waterfront condominium on crystal clear Lake Christopher. Engaging, terraced floorplan makes efficient use of space with exposed brick walls & cozy windows. Situated amidst a most scenic westerly mountain view exposure with great lake access. ~~$69,900~~ **$61,900**



Price Reduced - Viking Village: A rare offering is found in this eye-catching chalet. Your ideal vaca or prim dwelling, in the sought-after, upper-end quaint Viking Village Comm w/walk to trail access. Lower level FR, BR, bath & laundry; upper level MBR, 2nd bath & GR. 2 add 3rd flr BRs & catwalk. 2 woodstoves, OFHA... Become a part of this charming ngborhood & develop yrs of memories. ~~$239,000~~ **$199,000**

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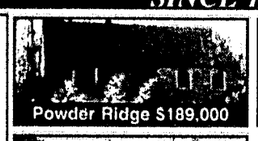
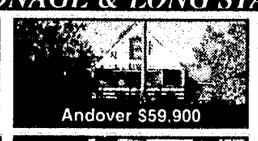

Powder Ridge $189,000

Sunday River Village $375,000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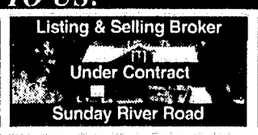
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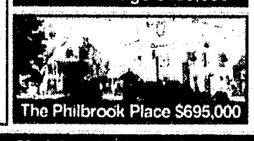
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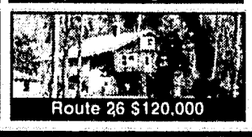
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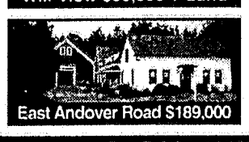
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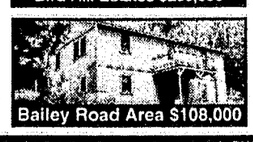
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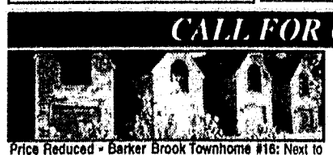

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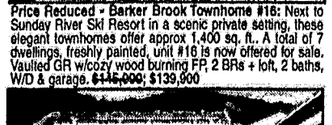

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MERRILL BROOK		
Unit 2H	2 Bdrm/1.75 Bath	SOLD
BROOKSIDE BUILDING I		
I-B-407	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
I-B-307	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	$84,900
I-A-202	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	$87,500
I-A-402	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	$89,900
I-A-403	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	$89,900
BROOKSIDE BUILDING II		
II-A-213	Studio/1 Bath	$39,000
II-B-201	Studio/1 Bath	$42,900
II-A-202	Studio/1 Bath	$42,900
II-A-216	Studio/1 Bath	$42,900
II-A-208	Studio/1 Bath	$46,900
II-A-107	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
II-B-307	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$53,900
II-A-311	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$57,000
II-A-103	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$57,900
II-A-108	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$58,900
II-B-310	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
CASCADES		
B-1	Studio/1 Bath	$42,500
B-6	Studio/1 Bath	$46,900
B-25	Studio/1 Bath	$47,500
B-24	Studio/1 Bath	$50,000
C-7	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$59,900
A-23	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$61,500
A-4	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
A-14	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
LOCKE MOUNTAIN		
A-3	4 Bdrm/3 Bath	SOLD
L-3	3 Bdrm/3 Bath	SOLD
FALL LINE		
N-202	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$49,900
S-214	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
S-103	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
E-116	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$52,000
W-111	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$53,900
N-110	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$54,500
W-115	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$54,500
N-212	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$59,900
W-106	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$59,900
W-215	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
S-117	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
W-217	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
N-217	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
E-211	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
SOUTHRIDGE		
I-4	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$136,900
I-1	3 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
J-4	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
SUNRISE		
A-111	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
A-114	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
A-105	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
C-128	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
NORTHPEAK		
II-202	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	$79,900
III-211	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
III-107	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
II-211	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	$87,000
III-206	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	$88,900
III-301	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	$89,900
III-301	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	$89,900
II-312	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	$95,900
I-203	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
WHITE CAP		
A-407	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$59,000
A-205	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
B-218	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$59,900
B-413	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$61,900
A-201	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
B-214	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD

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RIVERBEND		
#3	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$54,900
#12	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$75,000
#5	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$96,000
#34	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
CARRIAGE HOUSE		
#2	2 Bdrm/1½ Bath	SOLD
#4	1 Bdrm + Loft	$86,900
#1	1+ Loft/1 Bath	$89,900
#8	2 Bdrm/1½ Bath	$89,900
BETHEL INN/MILLBROOK TOWNHOMES		
#500	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
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EDEN RIDGE		
#3-F	2 Bdrm/1¾ Bath	SOLD
#6-D	2 Bdrm/1¾ Bath	SOLD
#6-E	2 Bdrm/1¾ Bath	$99,000
#6-H	2 Bdrm/1¾ Bath	$119,000
LAKE CHRISTOPHER		
Unit G	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$64,900
BARKER BROOK		
#14	2 Bdrm, 2 Bath + Loft	SOLD
#16	2 Bdrm, 2 Bath + Loft	$139,900

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Obituaries

OLA M. MIELE

Ola M. Miele, 80, of Oxford died Wednesday, July 11, 2001 at her daughter's home.

She was born in Milton Plantation on August 22, 1920 the daughter of Jeris and Jennie Chiles Billings. She was educated in Milton Plantation schools and had been employed with Gilbert Manufacturing in Locke Mills.

She married Emile Miele on Feb. 23, 1937; he passed away in 1999. She was a member of the Deering Memorial Methodist Church in South Paris and the Jackson-Silver Post in Locke Mills for 38 years.

She is survived by a daughter, Brenda and her husband Brian Hodgdon of Oxford; a son, Norman of Peru; a sister, Luna Akers of South Paris; two brothers, Gerald Billings and Lloyd Billings both of Milton Plantation; eight grandchildren, Kimberly J. Bumpus of South Paris, Brandon S. Hodgdon of Oxford, Frank Howard of Albany, Allen and Robert Seames of Bryant Pond, Adrienne Miele of Rumford, Jeff Miele of Puerto Rico and Troy Miele of Peru; and 14 great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by a daughter, June Seames of Bryant Pond; two sons, Rodney and Raymond; and two grandchildren.

Memorial services were held Saturday, July 14 at the Deering Memorial Methodist Church in South Paris. In lieu of flowers those who wish may make contributions to the Androscoggin Home Care and Hospice Foundation, 15 Strawberry Avenue, POB 819, Lewiston, ME 04243-9800.

CLARA A. ROBERTS

Clara A. Roberts, 89, of West Paris, died Sunday, July 15, 2001 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway, after a brief illness.

She was born in Harrison on Jan. 17, 1912, the daughter of Guy B. and Georgie Lewis Andrews. She attended Harrison schools.

She married Charles Benjamin Roberts on Oct. 30, 1932, and he predeceased her on Feb. 12, 1995.

Mrs. Roberts was a housewife most of her life who helped her husband on their farm by raising calves. She was a member of the Seventh Day Adventist Church in Woodstock and a charter member of the Advent Church in Harrison. She enjoyed braiding rugs, making quilts and canning vegetables.

Survivors include a son, Jack V. of West Paris; a daughter, Jean Wilson of West Paris; a brother, Lewis Andrews of Harrison; two sisters, Ruth Roberts of Bowdoinham and Ruby McLaren of Harrison; eight grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her husband and a grandson, Ray.

A graveside service was held Tuesday, July 17, at the Tool Town Cemetery in West Paris.

SCOTT L. SAMPSON

Scott Linwood Sampson, 49, of Bethel Road, West Paris, died unexpectedly Wednesday, July 11, 2001 at his home.

Born in Lewiston on Sept. 5, 1951, he was the son of Harry and Lucille (Thibodeau) Sampson.

Mr. Sampson attended Lewiston schools and was a millwright by vocation, having been employed by various firms in the Oxford Hills area.

He was an outdoorsman, enjoying hunting and archery. He will be sadly missed by his family, friends and his best friend, Stan Smith of South Paris.

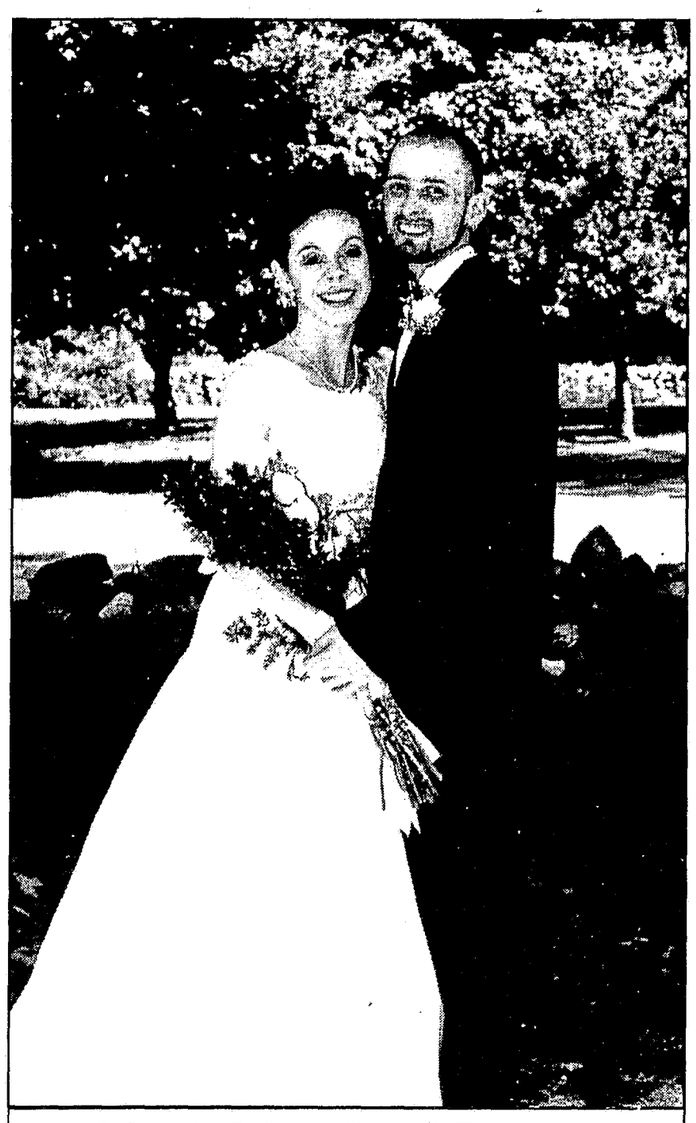
Survivors include his mother; three sisters and their husbands, Jean Forgues of Lewiston, Shelly and "Ace" Beaudet of Lisbon and Karen and Ron Turcotte of Mechanic Falls; and many nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his father in 1987 and a daughter, Vanessa Sampson in 1999.

In Loving Memory

of Larry A. Robinson
on his 54th birthday, 7-23-01

There's a hole in the world now.
In the place where he was, there's
now just nothing. A center,
like no other, of memory, hope,
knowledge and affection which once
inhabited this earth is gone.
Only a gap remains. A perspective
on this world unique in this world
which once moved about, within
this world has been rubbed out.
Only a void is left. There's nobody
now who saw just what he saw,
knows what he knew, remembers
what he remembered, loves what
he loved. A person, an irreplaceable
person is gone. Never again will
anyone apprehend the world quite
the way he did. Never again will
anyone inhabit the world the way
he did. Questions I have can never
now get answers. The world is
emptier, my son is gone.
Only a hole remains, a void,
a gap never to be filled.

Happy Birthday Larry,



Mr. & Mrs. Chad Dumais

Kate Riley Nickerson and Chad Ryan Dumais were married in a 2 p.m. ceremony on Saturday, June 9, 2001 at the United Methodist Church in Bethel. The Reverend Walter Brown officiated.

Escorted to the altar by her father, the bride wore a gown of ivory satin embroidered with lace and pearls on the Empire bodice, and a lace and pearl-trimmed bow accented her matching train. She wore her mother's veil attached to a headband of tiny pearls, and carried an arm bouquet of white roses and white freesia tied with ivory satin ribbon.

Maid of honor was Jaime Grover, friend of the bride. Bridesmaids were Rachel Greenleaf, cousin of the bride; Heather Dumais, sister of the groom; Tammy Newton and Rhonda Cote, friends of the bride. Flower girls were Elizabeth Greenleaf, cousin of the bride, and Jessica Dumais, niece of the groom.

Best man was Christopher K. Dumais Jr., brother of the groom, and ushers were Vaughn Harlow, Tim McDonald, Thomas Jolicouer, and Mark Jamison, friends of the groom.

Following a reception at the Bethel Inn & Country Club Conference Center in Bethel, the couple enjoyed a trip to Massachusetts, Rhode Island and the White Mountains of New Hampshire. They are now residing in Auburn.

Mrs. Dumais, the daughter of George A. and Danna Brown Nickerson of Bethel, is a 1998 graduate of Telstar Regional High School in Bethel and received a degree in Office Administration from Central Maine Technical College, Auburn, in 2000. She is currently working on a BS degree in Leadership and Organizational Studies. She is employed as an administrative assistant in the Allied Health Department at CMTC.

Mr. Dumais is the son of Donna J. and Christopher K. Dumais Sr. of Livermore. He graduated from Livermore Falls High School in the Class of 1996 and from Central Maine Technical College, Auburn, in 2000, with a degree in Automotive Technology. He is employed at VIP in Auburn as an automotive technician.

Births

Warren "Micky" Forbes and Elissa M. Lufkin of Bryant Pond are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter, Josie Adana Forbes, born at Rumford Community Hospital weighing 7 pounds.

Maternal grandparents are Marjorie and Arthur Lufkin of Camden.

Paternal grandparents are Betty and Warren Forbes of Livermore.

Great-grandparents are Ervine Bonnevie of Livermore and Marcia Gould of Phillips.

Josie joins Aislinn, 4, and Duncan, 14 months.

Tammy Stevenson and Jason Sicotte of Greenwood are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby boy, Joseph H. Sicotte, born on July 12, 2001 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 6 pounds, 11 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Lisa and Rodney Westleigh of Greenwood and Guy and Sandy Stevenson of North Carolina.

Paternal grandparents are Mary-Anne Knights of Greene and Lewis "Jay" Sicotte.

Joseph joins brothers Robert, 21 months, and Dallas, age 8.

Card of Thanks

I want to thank all my family and friends for the support I received while in the hospital and since my return home. I am truly blessed!

Love you all!
Mabel (Herrick) Buiniskas

Card of Thanks

Thank you to all my family (*you know who you are*) for taking such good care of me since my recent surgery.

C.J.

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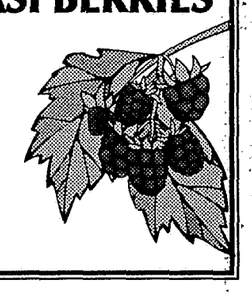

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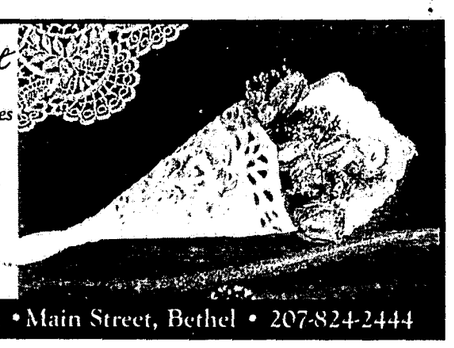

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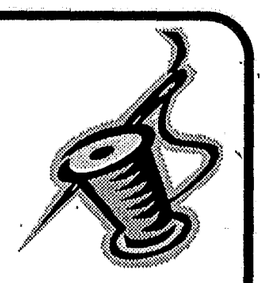

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FMI, call 824-3059 or 665-2021

2001 Woodstock Swim Program

This year the Woodstock Swim Program will be held Monday through Friday beginning **August 6 and Ending August 17, 2001.** Classes will meet at the Maine Conservation School in Bryant Pond. After your child has completed his or her lesson for the day, they will be required to leave the instruction area. **There will be instruction for all ages from infants and toddlers on up through extremely strong swimmers.**

A fee of $8.00 per student or $25.00 per family will be charged to help defray the cost of the program. Deborah Carlson of South Paris will be this year's instructor.
Registration deadline is August 1, 2001 at the Woodstock Town Office

Time	Class	Ability
8:00-8:40 am	Levels VI and VII	Accomplished swimmers
8:45-9:25 am	Levels IV and V	Some distance swimming ability
9:30-10:10 am	Level III	Moderate and some deep water ability
10:30-10:55 am	Level II	Some underwater comfort/float
11:00-11:25 am	Level I	Absolute beginner/little water comfort and/or ability
11:30 am-12:00pm	Infants, Toddlers, Preschool	Parent, Guardian attend with swimmer

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Saturday, July 21 at 10am under tent, rain or shine. Some seating available. Preview 5-8pm Friday, July 20, 8-10am Saturday, July 21. Estate to include the full contents of a an area home along with contents of their local cottage, plus a few selected additions.

Including: **Furniture:** Period Chippendale, Bracket Base 4 grad. drawer bureau, exceptional quarter-sawn oak Barrister desk/bookcase, 4 piece Robert's Furniture bedroom set, mission oak 2 drawer library table, walnut Victorian organ, fancy brass/iron full size bed, oak Empire library table, Mahogany Victrola (working), cottage pine furniture, oak morris chair, trunks, Victorian camel back sofa, *mahogany China closet with matching buffet, Governor Winthrop desk, walnut drop front desk, cherry* buffet, cherry table with 6 chairs, hand made mahogany inlaid table, oak clawfoot China closet, oak hall tree, oak gentlemen's chest, pr. marble lamps, federal reverse pntd. mirror, butcher block, Paine Furniture vanity, clawfoot mahogany cedar chest, New Haven 8 day clock #3291, mint Waterfalls bedroom set, and much more. **Jewelry:** Wonderful approximately 1+ carat diamond ring in 18K antique setting, Banner art deco wrist watch, Elgin pocket watch, several other pocket watches, earring cuffs, sterling rings, 14K cameo ring, Amethyst pendant, 10K jade ring, selection of cameos, costume jewelry, 10K bracelet. **Glass/Pottery:** Carnival glass Northwood set purple pitcher and 6 mugs mint, Carnival glass hatpin holder, other miscellaneous Carnival Glass pieces, nice old German Stein (frog), Taylor Smith 96 piece dinner set, Royal Bayreuth dish and pitcher set, Royal Doulton plate, Limoge platter, old cranberry glass pitcher with enamel, snake paperweight, Laurella 48 piece dish set, blue and white spongeware bowl, Cambridge glass goblet set, Wedgewood platter, Ironstone shaving mugs, Johnson Brothers 29 piece luncheon set, 2 Roseville pieces, cookie jars, depression glass, miscellaneous cut glass, pressed glass, and more. **Items of Interest:** Flower deco, Pennsylvania Dutch knife tray in green, red, and yellow original polychrome paint (mint), Old Mt. Abram fish and game member badge, old wheel barrel, wonderful Victorian geometric design quilt, early handstitched quilt (nice), quilts, early framed watercolor still life, large folk art frame, large watercolor winter scene signed S.K. Chaffee, bronze zodiac humidor signed Nicholas Haydon N.Y.C., oriental black lacquer decorated box, Victorian beaded purse (France), butter stamp, Post Cards, Inc. 50 Portland, Maine area, 60 Massachusetts, and more. Roycroft health and wealth book, children's books, and more, Indian beaded moccasins and purse, 2 G.A.R. brown post memorial medal, G.A.R. bronze medal with eagle and star, G.A.R. Ehrman Boston medal, Knights of Pyth. Oxford star bear 51 medal Hanover, Maine, Old coffee advertising posters, 3 dolls porcelain head leather body, small ivory sliding ruler, 3 Uncle Ray's magazines, speedoline auto tin, other adv. tins, Miscellaneous sterling silver, blue enamel G.E. wringer washer, old colored posters fishing hunting signed J.F. Kerman, 3D framed indian picture, colored posters signed Hintermeister, Griswold, copper boiler, hand tools, self propelled lawn mower, 3 bag gas powered cement mixer, 1978 9.8 HP Mercury Outboard. **Household items:** Westinghouse fridge, washer, kitchen items, more.

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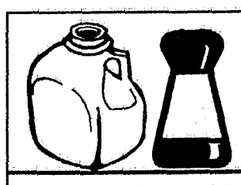

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